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Dear Bidder.

The first two months of the year always go a long way toward determining the strength and direction of the coin market. While January's annual FUN Show in Orlando sets the tone, February's Long Beach Expo provides important confirmation of trends and opportunities. As the Expo's longtime Official Auctioneer, Heritage heads to Long Beach eager to see if the West Coast action mirrors January's strong East Coast results.

The 2020 FUN Signature Auction results were impressive. Rollo Fox's amazing collection of Saint-Gaudens double eagles realized more than \$6.4 million, including an eye-opening \$2.16 million for the rare 1927-D. Overall, Heritage auction results topped \$68 million during the FUN sale including U.S. Currency and World Paper Money, and World & Ancient Coins (sold concurrently at the NYINC event). U.S. Coins accounted for \$41.8 million of the total.

This year's Long Beach Expo has a solid lineup of Featured Collections anchored by an outstanding, 100% complete set of Liberty eagles including all circulation strike dates and mints 1838-1907, with major varieties – a total of 184 coins from this most-challenging series.

The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles



Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. was born in Chicago, Illinois and raised in and around Washington, D.C. He received a Bachelor of Engineering degree in Chemical Engineering from Yale University in 1958 and a law degree from Harvard Law School in 1961. After a brief tour of duty with the United States Air Force, Harvey began his career in private practice, specializing in patent law. Like many numismatists, Harvey collected coins as a teenager and continued his pursuit through high school. He still retains his long-held Mercury

early 1950s. Upon entering college, academics took Harvey away from numismatics, as did marriage and family life, and the demands of his professional career.

dime and Jefferson nickel collections, formed during the

Harvey acquired a variety of gold coins over the years, although he did not rekindle a serious interest in numismatics until the latter years of the 20th century. He has been actively involved in coin collecting over the past 20 years or so, and greatly enjoys the challenges and pleasures of this hobby. It was during this time that Harvey was able to assemble the extensive collection of Liberty ten dollar gold pieces offered at this year's Long Beach Expo. At the 2012 FUN Signature auction, Heritage sold his fine collection of early half eagles – a memorable offering that resonates with gold specialists to this day. Harvey always remembers to recognize those who helped him assemble his collections. Early on, he was fortunate to meet dealers Jim McGuigan and Larry Hanks, both of whom were instrumental in assisting him with his collecting interests. He remains grateful for their guidance and wishes to pay them special tribute. He also wishes to thank other dealers and individuals who provided him apparturations over the years to acquire series by private treaty, including Ed Milas. Pen Karp Gary

wishes to pay them special tribute. He also wishes to thank other dealers and individuals who provided him opportunities over the years to acquire coins by private treaty, including Ed Milas, Ron Karp, Gary Parietti, and Stuart Levine.

Last but not least, Harvey wants to thank Doug Winter for his advice and guidance throughout the formation of this outstanding set of Liberty eagles, and thanks Heritage for its promotion, cataloging, and sale of the collection. A 100% complete set of Liberty eagles is one of the great challenges in numismatics ... often attempted, but seldom achieved.

The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection

Fleeing religious persecution in what is now Latvia, Bert Mintz arrived in Galveston, Texas, in 1913 at the age of two along with his mother, father and older brother. The family soon moved to Houston, settled-in, and assimilated into the Texas way of life (when the population of Houston was less than 80,000). They were never

wealthy, but they laid the foundation for what would become a success story that would have a profound impact on the world.

Bert Mintz withdrew from school in the eighth grade so that he could help support his family. In 1939, he married Jeanette Haydis, and they had two children, Katherine and Helen. Bert was employed as a typesetter at the Houston Post newspaper and was a member of the Typographical Union for over fifty years. He was a featherweight boxer, and contributed to the Second World War effort as a torpedo tube cleaner (due to his small stature). Bert and Helen were very close and shared a lifelong love of coin collecting.

Helen would go on to graduate as valedictorian (at the age of 16) from San Jacinto High School in Houston, Rice University with high honors, and Baylor College of Medicine with honors at a time when women (let alone Jewish women) were not often afforded the opportunity to outshine their male classmates. Over the next fifty years, Helen would become a world renowned children's eye surgeon, whose pioneering research would save the eyesight of millions of children around the world. She was twice published as the lead article in the New England Journal of Medicine; the first time when she described the progression of retinal problems in premature infants (Retinopathy of Prematurity) in 1980; and then again nearly 35 years later when, after years of research and treating the condition, her work led to finding a treatment that essentially reverses and near-fully ameliorates the condition. In addition to her pioneering research, Dr. Mintz-Hittner's practice included over three-quarters of a million patient visits; and scores of families consisting of multi-generational patients. She retired from practicing medicine in December 2019.



As Helen's medical career, marriage, and family life evolved, coin collecting activities with her father became less active, but never fully subsided. Following her father's death in 1987, Helen placed the coin collection they had built together on the back burner, until her last child's education was completed. Then she refocused on one particular aspect of their collection: Morgan silver dollars. It contains several key date Morgans, including a fine 1895 PR64 PCGS and an 1889-CC certified MS64 PCGS. The 1892-S is MS63 PCGS. This collection represents not only the love between a father and daughter, but also how one family's immigration and assimilation into the United States can change the world.

The Stunning 1908 Proof Set

One of the highlights of the Premier Session is a complete nine-denomination 1908 proof set. The minor and silver denominations (offered as a single lot) are represented by beautifully toned, well-matched coins in Gem to Superb Gem condition. The four gold pieces follow -- offered as individual lots. They are equally high-end and also incredibly rare as well. The crown of the set is the matte proof Saint-Gaudens double eagle, graded PR66+ PCGS CAC, one of the top three examples certified at PCGS. No more than 101 gold proof sets could have been distributed to collectors in 1908, and most researchers believe the actual number is lower. This offering of not only a complete 1908 gold proof set -- but also the accompanying intact minor and silver proofs -- is a rare opportunity indeed. Moreover, the quality of these Impeccably preserved, beautifully matched pieces is simply staggering.

The Triplets Collection

Coins from this carefully assembled U.S. type collection appear in all three floor sessions including Thursday evening's Premier Session, and throughout the Online Signature® Session, too. The collection was formed around better dates and varieties, with the early type coins primarily in circulated grades, and the later issues ranging from Select Mint State to Premium Gem Uncirculated examples. Some of the key issues include a 1793 Sheldon-3 Chain cent certified Fine 12 PCGS ... a 1916-D Mercury dime graded MS63 Full Bands PCGS ... a 1916 Standing Liberty quarter (nicely toned) in MS65 Full Head PCGS ... an 1804 BD-2 quarter eagle certified AU58 PCGS CAC ... and an 1811 Capped Bust Left five dollar gold piece graded AU58 PCGS.



The McDonald Family Collection

Focused on rare gold and silver with a few old coppers mixed in, The McDonald Family Collection almost

exclusively includes coins that circulated far and wide -- sometimes a bit worse for wear – but with dates, mintmarks, and varieties that are numismatic challenges nonetheless. The eye for rarity is consistent throughout the collection, and while many of the coins reside in PCGS Genuine holders, there is no denying the importance of the dates and die marriages. The list of early type is especially impressive: a 1794 dollar with VF sharpness – an American classic, regardless of grade – plus, an 1802 half dime, 1796 and 1797 half dollars, a 1793 Liberty Cap cent (Sheldon-13), and a 1796 quarter. The collection includes an 1895 Morgan dollar certified PR55 PCGS, and an 1879 Flowing Hair stella in impaired proof with AU details. Several of the pieces qualify for Premier Session inclusion, with many other coins sure to grab attention throughout the other live floor sessions and the Online Only Sunday session. An old adage correctly points out "beauty is in the eye of the beholder," and this interesting collection certainly offers opportunities for collectors of every budget and specialty.

A Small California Cabinet

Bust half collectors will have a field day checking out the Overton varieties of this well-formed Capped Bust collection. Many fine examples are featured in eminently collectible conditions – primarily in About Uncirculated and accessible Mint State grades, topping out at the MS64 level. As expected, a few of the rare Overtons are in well-circulated conditions, such as the 1807 O-111b "Bearded Goddess" certified VF20 NGC with CAC. A seldom-seen 1820 O-107 example grades Fine 15 PCGS, an R.5 variety. Mint State examples include a Choice Uncirculated 1808 O-109a certified MS64 PCGS CAC, and an 1813 O-104 graded MS61 NGC, a Condition Census candidate. Several dozen excellent Bust halves appear in the Online Only Sunday Session, not to be missed by any dedicated Overton specialist.

The Brookside Collection

Charlotte Mint gold is the focus of this long-standing collection of branch mint Liberty quarter eagles and Liberty five dollar gold. The coins are all in old green label PCGS holders, and have been absent from the market for many years. Nearly the entire collection appears in Friday evening's Floor Session 3, with additional lots in Sunday's Online Session. Specialists in Charlotte gold should take note.



The Spring Creek Collection, Part III

Early type remains the focus of The Spring Creek Collection, which was formed over the past 25 years. Its primary focus is on silver issues in the Bust, Seated, and Barber series. Original surfaces and eye appeal have been of utmost importance to the owner. This is our third installment from the collection. It includes several "collector grade" Seated dollars and half dollars, plus Bust halves and Bust quarters – all in the certified Online Session, with other lots in upcoming Heritage weekly auctions.

We encourage you to attend the Long Beach Expo in person – not only for Heritage's live auction sessions, but for the entire bourse experience, and for the many numismatic learning opportunities that the Expo provides. Even if you cannot attend, Heritage makes it easy to place bids either before or during the auction. Our live telephone bidding and interactive online bids through HERITAGE Live!® are excellent ways to bid from your computer or mobile device – the simplest and most reliable real-time bidding platform in the auction industry. Bidding is available from anywhere in the world. Our well-trained staff is always happy to accept your bids via e-mail, fax, or regular mail before the auction, and to answer any questions you may have.

Good luck with your bids! Please accept our best wishes for successful New Year and our sincere thanks for your participation at the Long Beach Expo.

Sincerely,

Greg Rohan Todd Imhof

President Executive Vice-President

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SESSION ONE

COLONIALS

1652 Noe-8 Pine Tree Shilling, MS63 The Stearns-Hain Coin





3001 1652 Pine Tree Shilling, Large Planchet, Ligatured NE, MS63 NGC. Noe-8, W-740, Salmon 7-E, R.4. 68.2 grains. Part of the 1991 ANS Exhibition of Colonial Coinage (No. 99). Noe-8 is the "Monogram NE" variety, which has the right upright of N and the upright of E completely overlapping. The coin features deep-steel and gray-brown color over full original luster, while the surfaces exhibit exceptional quality. The cataloger for the Hain Collection commented: "an outstandingly nice specimen."

This example is tied for second-finest of the Hain coins, and it is exceeded for quality by only one or two others that we are aware of. Not perfectly round (these coins never were), with clipped edges at 2, 4, and 6 o'clock relative to the obverse. The legends are completely intact, with a wide outer margin along the right reverse. In fact, this coin displays better centering than many other examples of the variety we have seen. This is an important specimen with an exceptional modern-era pedigree. Listed on page 41 of the 2020 *Guide Book*.

Ex: Radford Stearns Collection (Mayflower Coin Auctions, 12/1966), lot 84; Oechsner Collection (Stack's, 9/1988), lot 943; Hain Family Collection (Stack's, 1/2002), lot 115; Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2006), lot 5. NGC ID# BNUC, PCGS# 45373 Base PCGS# 23

(1659) Lord Baltimore Fourpence, VF35 Hodder 1-A, W-1010, Sharp Legends





3002 (1659) Lord Baltimore Fourpence, Hodder 1-A, W-1010, R.6, VF35 PCGS. CAC. The smallest silver denomination struck for the colony of Maryland was the fourpence, or groat. The groats, like their larger fellows, bore the portrait of Cecil Calvert, the second Lord Baltimore and first Lord Proprietor of Maryland. All legends are sharp on the present pleasing, Choice example, which is free from any visible post-strike marks. A diagonal line on the shield was on the planchet prior to the strike. The shield shows softness at the centers. Dove-gray fields and motifs are bounded by rich peripheral apple-green and mauve toning. Listed on page 42 of the 2020 Guide Book. Population: 1 in 35, 6 finer. CAC: 1 in 35, 6 finer (12/19).

Ex: Loye L. Lauder (Doyle, 12/1983), lot 126; Atlanta ANA Signature (Heritage, 2/2014), lot 3690; ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2016), lot 3924. NGC ID# 2U3J, PCGS# 32

(1659) Lord Baltimore Sixpence, Choice XF Small Bust, Hodder 2-C, W-1060



3003 (1659) Lord Baltimore Sixpence XF45 PCGS. Hodder 2-C, W-1060, R.5. London's Tower Mint produced coins in four denominations for Cecil Calvert when prices for Maryland commodities began to soar in the mid-to-late 1650s. The Clerke of the Irons in the Tower — who was also holder of a Puritan Commonwealth commission against false coiners — obtained a warrant for Calvert's arrest, and seized his coins and tools. Calvert's right to coin money for use in the colony was eventually upheld, while his coinage circulated in small quantities, without appreciably improving the monetary situation in Maryland. This Choice XF example displays silver-gray color with traces of deep-charcoal build-up in sheltered areas. A minor planchet flaw exists at 9 o'clock on the reverse border. Listed on page 42 of the 2020 Guide Book. NGC ID# 2U3K, PCGS# 33

1739 Higley Copper, Fine Details Broad Axe Reverse, W-8265

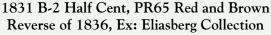


3004 1739 Higley Copper, Broad Axe — Damage or Tooling — PCGS Genuine. Fine Details. Breen-244, Freidus 3.2-D, W-8265, R.7. Ex: Norweb. 127.8 gn, 29.6 mm per its Norweb auction appearance. Samuel Higley, a medical doctor who graduated from Yale College, operated a copper mine near Granby, Connecticut. Higley is associated with various very rare copper issues, the earliest of which is dated 1737. Since Higley died on a ship voyage in May 1737, he could not have made the present lot, dated 1739. Probably, his son John was responsible for several Higley varieties, including W-8265.

The first Higley issues feature three hammers on the reverse, which refer to smith operations at the copper mine. Later varieties replace the hammers with a single axe and a motto of perseverance: I CUT MY WAY THROUGH. The obverse legends also evolved, from a definitive declaration of value as threepence, to the more conditional VALUE ME AS YOU PLEASE.

This coin is an important representative of the extremely rare W-8265 variety. Experts believe five to eight examples of this issue are extant. The deer and axe devices are clear, as is the denomination. The date, CUT MY WAY, and VALUE ME are readable. The dark brown fields are evenly granular and contrast with tan-brown devices. The right obverse has a couple of tiny pits, and close examination reveals a few pinscratches on each side near the borders, from an attempt to remove verdigris. Given the rarity of the variety, any example would be a highlight of an advanced Early American collection. Listed on page 50 of the 2020 Guide Book. Ex: Norweb Collection, Part I (Bowers and Merena, 10/1987), lot 1240; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2013), lot 3700; ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2019), lot 3644.

PROOF HALF CENT







3005 1831 Reverse of 1836 PR65 Red and Brown PCGS. CAC. B-2, High R.5. 1831 half cents are identified as Original, First Restrike, and Second Restrike. This Gem is the First Restrike with large berries. The obverse has the distinctive small date and large stars that is seen on all three obverses used on 1831 proof half cents. The reverse shows the highest leaf under the left foot of the second S of STATES. The obverse is mostly fire-red, although the cheek and left obverse field are toned steel-blue. The reverse is predominantly sea-green, with cherry-red emerging from the peripheral letters. Well struck with flashy fields and exquisite eye appeal. A brief thin vertical mark above the jaw is provided for identification in any future auction appearances.

This example was described in the Eliasberg catalog as a Series I Restrike with the weight recorded at 82.4 grains. We find no evidence of reverse die bulging or die cracks, representing the earliest known die state. This piece was omitted from the Breen Census. Although he would have examined this coin when he viewed the Eliasberg Collection, his notes were incomplete or lost, requiring him to reconstruct the rosters of many coins from memory. Our EAC grade PR64.

Ex: John G. Mills (S.H. and H. Chapman, 4/1904); John H. Clapp; Clapp Estate (1942); Louis E. Eliasberg, Sr.; Eliasberg Estate (Bowers and Merena, 5/1996), lot 444. PCGS# 1190

LARGE CENTS

1793 S-3, B-4 Chain Cent, Fine 12 **AMERICA Reverse**





3006 1793 Chain, AMERICA, S-3, B-4, Low R.3, Fine 12 PCGS. Liberty's bust line is smoothly and gently curved on this obverse die that also features RTY on a higher arc line than LIBE. All three of those high letters appear to be slightly larger than the first four letters. This piece has light olive-brown surfaces that present well, although a glass reveals myriad fine scratches across Liberty's portrait, and microscopic corrosion on the reverse. Nevertheless, this is an important type coin for the design collector, and an equally important piece for the Guide Book variety enthusiast. Our EAC grade VG8.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 223F, PCGS# 35438 Base PCGS# 1341

1793 Liberty Cap Cent, VF Details Popular S-13, B-20 Variety



3007 1793 Liberty Cap, S-13, B-20, Low R.4 — Environmental Damage — PCGS Genuine. VF Details. Die State 1, without the reverse bulge. The mahogany surfaces of this impressive specimen show hints of steel-brown on the reverse. Only minor abrasions are present, but extensive corrosion is evident on both sides. The design elements are well-centered and retain VF sharpness throughout. Our EAC grade VG7.

From The McDonald Family Collection.

1794 S-48, B-38 Cent, Fine Details Popular Starred Reverse



3008 1794 Starred Reverse, S-48, B-38, High R.4 — Environmental Damage — Fine Details. PCGS Genuine. Few varieties are known by there nicknames. In the large cent series, varieties such as the Chain AMERI, the Strawberry Leaf, the Starred Reverse, and the Jefferson Head need no further description for avid collectors to picture these coins in their minds. This Starred Reverse cent is typical of all examples, with strong obverse details and weak reverse details. In the case of this example, the obverse has the sharpness of Fine, and the reverse has the sharpness of AG. Most of the individual stars are visible from 5 o'clock to about 10:30. The obverse has light tan devices with olive-steel fields and the reverse has steel patina. Both sides have light to moderate corrosion with maroon patina on the reverse. This piece doesn't match any example in our photographic record of 62 different Starred Reverse cents. Our EAC grade Good 4.

1795 S-78, B-8 Cent, MS63 Brown Late Die State



3009 1795 Plain Edge, S-78, B-8, R.1, MS63 Brown PCGS. Breen Die State VI with slight die crumbling that connects the top of the 5 to the bust, the latest die state recorded in the Breen Large Cent Encyclopedia The obverse fields are lightly bulged, a feature not mentioned for the Breen Die States, nor mentioned by Bill Noyes who considers this to be a middle or intermediate die state. Reflective olive and golden-brown surfaces show a few splashes of steel toning. Both sides are covered in myriad planchet flakes as struck. The obverse border of this piece is noticeably beveled. Our EAC grade MS60. Population for all 1795 Plain Edge varieties: 21 in 63 (3 in 63+) Brown, 14 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 223T, PCGS# 35729 Base PCGS# 1380

1797 S-135, B-5 Cent, MS62 Brown Beaded Edge Subvariety



3010 1797 Reverse of 1797, Stems, S-135, B-5, R.3, MS62 Brown PCGS. CAC. This fully lustrous light brown cent is likely from the Nichols Find of Mint State 1796 and 1797 Draped Bust large cents that appeared in Massachusetts circa 1863. The small hoard consisted of three varieties: 1796 S-119, 1797 S-123, and 1797 S-135. All three varieties are found more often in Mint State grades than in lower circulated grades. These pieces are ideal candidates for type collectors. Trivial toning spots are evident on the satin surfaces of this important cent. Our EAC grade MS60. NGC ID# 2242, PCGS# 35936 Base PCGS# 1422

1802 S-232, B-12 Cent, MS63 Brown T Over Y in LIBERTY



3011 1802 S-232, B-12, R.1, MS63 Brown PCGS. Breen Die State IV showing faint die cracks and clash marks on both sides, including a defect below the 1 of the date involving three dentils. The blundered obverse die has the T in LIBERTY cut over an errant Y, the engraver getting ahead of himself. This pleasing cent has glossy olive-brown surfaces that show full cartwheel luster. Splashes of pale orange appear on the reverse. Although S-232 is a plentiful variety, few are known in high grades. This piece is tied for the seventh finest known. Our EAC grade AU55. NGC ID# 224E, PCGS# 36305 Base PCGS# 1470

1840 N-8 Cent, MS65 Red Large Date Obverse



3012 1840 Large Date, N-8, R.1, MS65 Red PCGS. Grellman Die State d, with prominent obverse rim breaks from 3 o'clock to 6:30. Rich orange mint luster shows splashes of light brown toning on the obverse, but not enough to prevent the Red designation from PCGS. This piece has more red mint color than the Naftzger coin that Bob Grellman described as the "reddest" 1840 Large Date cent regardless of the die variety. This lovely Gem is a strong candidate for the finest known 1840 N-8 large cent and ranks among the finest certified, with a combined PCGS and NGC population of nine examples in MS65 Red and none finer. Our EAC grade MS65. Population: 5 in 65 Red (1 in 65+), 0 finer (1/20). PCGS# 395842 Base PCGS# 1822

PROOF FLYING EAGLE CENTS

1857 Flying Eagle Cent, MS66 Among the Finest Certified





3013 1857 MS66 PCGS. The 1857 Flying Eagle cent claims a substantial mintage of more than 17 million pieces, but few survivors can match the quality and eye appeal of this spectacular Premium Gem. Neither PCGS nor NGC has certified any finer examples (1/20). The design elements are sharply detailed and the virtually flawless copper-ed surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster with outstanding eye appeal. Population: 24 in 66, 0 finer (1/20).

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 226P, PCGS# 2016

1856 Flying Eagle Cent, PR64 Snow-4, 10 Examples Traced Low Leaves Reverse





3014 1856 Snow-4 PR64 PCGS. Snow-4 features the Pointed U in UNITED and a Low Leaves reverse that was first employed in 1858. Diagnostic die lines appear in the dentils directly below the right ribbon end. According to Rick Snow: "This die was used on the 1858 Small Letter proof Flying Eagle (PR2) in the same die state as found on this issue, leading to the conclusion that they were struck at nearly the same time, most likely near the middle of 1858." Only 10 examples of this rare die marriage have been traced, with a single PR65 graded higher than this near-Gem. Each side exhibits an array of violet and steel-blue accents amid glowing golden-brown and copper-orange color. Flashy and strongly struck with minimal evidence of contact. PCGS# 389777 Base PCGS#

1856 Flying Eagle Cent, PR64 The Usual Snow-9 Die Marriage



3015 1856 Snow-9 PR64 PCGS. CAC. Technically considered a pattern, the 1856 Flying Eagle cents had a dual role of demonstrating the appearance of the new small cents to Congress, and of providing Mint workmen the opportunity to produce coinage from the copper-nickel alloy. Although much of the composition was copper, the presence of just 12% nickel presented difficulties for the Mint's employees, such as James Noble, who worked at the Mint per the 1856 Philadelphia directory. This Choice proof is housed in an older generation (3.0) green-label PCGS holder and exhibits satiny brownish-tan luster with iridescent hints along the left reverse border. NGC ID# 227A, PCGS# 147890 Base PCGS# 2037

INDIAN CENTS

1861 Cent, MS68 Essentially Immaculate Tied for Finest at Either Service





3016 1861 MS68 NGC. This is an utterly spectacular example of the 1861 cent — the key date among copper-nickel, Oak Wreath cents (1860-1864). The 1861 is elusive in Gem condition, scarce in Premium Gem, and rare in Superb Gem grades, with only a single survivor tied with this coin for finest known. It is actually hard to imagine an example in better condition. There are essentially no distractions on either side. A touch of incompleteness on the feather tips is unavoidable for the 1861 issue, present on nearly every Superb Gem coin we have seen. Glowing amber-gold surfaces showcase hints of orange and blue color. The surfaces are absolutely immaculate and equally eye-appealing. Census: 1 in 68, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 227G, PCGS# 2061

1886 Type Two Cent, MS66 Red Tied for the Finest Certified





3017 1886 Type Two MS66 Red NGC. The lowest feather on the Indian's headdress points between CA in AMERICA. The year 1886 was a transitional one for the Indian Head cent, with Charles Barber providing a slight redesign for the obverse. According to Rick Snow, the reason for the change remains unknown, but the difference makes the 1886 highly sought-after because of the two major variants. Type Two coins are scarcer and should command a premium, especially in this high grade. Copper-orange surfaces exhibit evidence of die erosion in the fields and faint cracks on each side. The strike is bold, and marks are essentially limited to a couple of flecks on Liberty's cheek. Two tiny carbon spots below the chin are particular to this coin. Census: 3 in 66 (1 in 66+) Red and Brown, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 228E, PCGS# 92156

1904 Indian Cent, MS67 Red Registry Set Contender





3018 1904 MS67 Red PCGS. From a large mintage of more than 61 million pieces, the 1904 Indian cent is easily located in lower Mint State grades, but PCGS has only certified 10 coins at the MS67 grade level, with the Red designation, and none finer, while NGC has graded no Red examples this fine (1/20). This magnificent Superb Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements, with some interesting clash marks on the reverse. The virtually flawless original red surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides and overall eye appeal is terrific. This coin will be a welcome addition to the finest collection or Registry Set. NGC ID# 228Z, PCGS# 2219

PROOF INDIAN CENTS

1873 Indian Head Cent, PR66 Red Closed 3, Tied for Finest Certified





3019 1873 Closed 3 PR66 Red PCGS. While the 1873 Closed 3 is far scarcer than the Open 3 among circulation strikes by a factor of 4 to 1, all proofs were made with the Closed 3 style. This Premium Gem proof is tied for finest known of the issue, with vibrant-orange, reflective fields and faintly frosted central motifs. A razor-sharp strike accompanies scattered blue highlights on the high points of the design. Glittering eye appeal illuminates essentially spot-free surfaces, which show a few deep-orange flecks but no carbon of consequence. Just 1,100 proofs were struck. Population: 3 in 66 Red, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 229S, PCGS# 2308

1877 Indian Cent, PR66 Red Rarely Seen Finer





3020 1877 PR66 Red PCGS. The mintage for 1877 proof Indian cents was not recorded. The 2020 *Guide Book* estimates about 1,250-1,500 examples were struck, but some coins may have gone unsold. The remainders were probably destroyed or released into circulation after the end of the year. All the proofs were struck with Bold N reverse dies.

This spectacular Premium Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout. The T in CENT has a bulging pennant on the right (facing) side that identifies the die used to strike at least some proofs every year from 1872 to 1878. The fields are hazily reflective and the original red surfaces are virtually flawless. Population: 11 in 66 Red, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 229W, PCGS# 2370

LINCOLN CENT

PROOF TWO CENT PIECE

1919-D Lincoln Cent, MS66+ Red CAC Approved Example





3021 1919-D MS66+ Red PCGS. CAC. Despite the large mintage of more than 57 million pieces, the 1919-D Lincoln cent is rare at the MS66 grade level, and finer coins are virtually unobtainable. This Plus-graded Premium Gem exhibits razor-sharp definition on all design elements and the impeccably preserved original red surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster throughout. Population: 19 in 66 (6 in 66+) Red, 2 finer. CAC: 3 in 66, 1 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 22BZ, PCG\$# 2518

PROOF LINCOLN CENT

1910 Lincoln Cent, PR66+ Red Lustrous Original Surfaces





3022 1910 PR66+ Red PCGS. CAC. The 1910 (2,405 pieces produced) is among the more readily obtainable early proof Lincoln cents, but examples are rare when compared to many of the later dates in this series. This issue is also a condition rarity, PCGS having certified only 27 coins in PR66 Red (four in 66+), with a mere six finer (1/20). Lovely orange-gold color adorns both sides, a crescent of crimson patina is seen at the upper left reverse border. Neither side reveals any distracting contact marks or carbon flecks. CAC: 5 in 66, 3 finer (1/20).

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 10/2001), lot 5668; Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2018), lot 4623. NGC ID# 22KT, PCGS# 3308

1871 Two Cent, PR67 Red Cameo The Finest Red Cameo at NGC





3023 1871 PR67 Red Cameo NGC. NGC lists Cameo and Ultra Cameo proof 1871 two cent pieces in both the Brown and Red color categories. Nonetheless, the entire population of contrasted pieces is small. Five Brown Cameos are reported, the finest being in PR66, and there are also only five Red Cameos listed, of this the present Superb Gem is the sole finest. A lone PR67 Red Ultra Cameo is finer than this piece at NGC (1/20).

This piece is die doubled on the obverse, as are all proof 1871

This piece is die doubled on the obverse, as are all proof 18/1 coins. Pumpkin-orange surfaces are deeply mirrored, contrasting with the sharply struck design elements. A few carbon flecks do not detract. Outstanding Registry Set inclusion. NGC ID# 22NH, PCGS# 83647

1879 Nickel, PR66+ Deep Cameo Sole Deep Cameo at PCGS





3024 1879 PR66+ Deep Cameo PCGS. CAC. The only Deep Cameo proof 1879 Shield nickel certified by PCGS, with all of the "bells and whistles" to go along with that distinction — a Plus designation, CAC endorsement. NGC also reports a lone Ultra Cameo example of this issue, graded PR66. A finer piece listed by CAC may have been regraded, since it no longer appears on the population charts.

Deeply mirrored fields contrast starkly with sharp, frosty devices, and this Registry coin has the faintest tint of light golden color. Eye appeal is outstanding. Population: 1 in 66 (1 in 66+) Deep Cameo, 0 finer. CAC: 1 in 66, 1 finer (1/20). PCGS# 93833

1918/7-D Buffalo Nickel, MS62 Popular Guide Book Overdate



3025 1918/7-D FS-101 MS62 NGC. An impressive MS62 representative of this popular wartime hubbing error, listed in the *Guide Book* and *Cherrypickers' Guide*. The 1918/7-D has been a sought-after key to the series ever since its discovery in 1931. Most examples seen are in the VG-Fine grade range, and Mint State specimens are definitely elusive.

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This attractive MS62 specimen offers well-detailed design elements, with just a touch of the usual softness on the hair above the braid and the bison's shoulder. The lightly marked surfaces display highlights of ice-blue, lavender, and sea-green toning, with satiny mint luster underneath. Census: 14 in 62, 24 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22RJ, PCGS# 38446 Base PCGS# 3939

1937-D Three-Legged Nickel, MS66 Pastel Iridescence, FS-901 Among the Nicest Examples We Have Seen





3026 1937-D Three-Legged, FS-901, MS66 PCGS. Attractive lemongold highlights join sharply struck, ice-blue central devices for outstanding eye appeal throughout both sides of this satin-smooth, three-legged nickel. A famous Cherrypickers' and Guide Book variety, the 1937-D nickel became a sensation when the bison's missing leg was publicized, creating a new legion of collectors — along with the later discovery of 1955 doubled die Lincoln cents.

This Premium Gem example radiates strong eye appeal. Lustrous and sharply struck for a three-legged nickel, despite typically eroded dies, the Mint anomaly is particularly obvious on this coin, with the bison's inside front leg wholly missing from stump to hoof. The preservation is terrific. Population: 14 in 66 (3 in 66+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22SX, PCGS# 38475 Base PCGS# 3982

PROOF BUFFALO NICKEL

1913 Buffalo Nickel, PR67+ Short-Lived Type One Design





3027 1913 Type One PR67+ PCGS. From a matte proof mintage of 1,520 pieces, the 1913 Type One proof Buffalo nickel becomes scarce at the PR67 grade level, and finer coins are prime condition rarities. This Plus-graded Superb Gem exhibits razor-sharp definition on all design elements and the impeccably preserved, lustrous surfaces show subtle highlights of greenish-gold and iceblue toning. Population: 74 in 67 (18 in 67+), 5 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 278R, PCGS# 3988

JEFFERSON NICKELS

1952-D Nickel, MS67 Full Steps Tied for Finest Certified





3028 1952-D MS67 Full Steps PCGS. Only about 12% of all Mint State PCGS submissions for the 1952-D Jefferson nickel have been designated as Full Steps. Rings of blue, green, yellow, and rose-violet toning surround untoned centers. There are predictably few marks, and the impression is razor-sharp. We note two specks of aqua residue on the obverse, one in front of the forehead and another below the star between LIBERTY and the date. Population: 4 in 67 Full Steps, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22UL, PCGS# 84047

1953-D Nickel, MS67 Full Steps Advanced Registry Coin





3029 1953-D MS67 Full Steps PCGS. Nearly 60 million of these D-mint nickels were struck in 1953, but only a handful grade as high as this coin with Full Steps. Satiny mint luster radiates over surfaces that show pale blue, violet, and gold accents. Definition is far stronger than usual; the 1953-D rarely features clearly delineated steps, as here. A high-end coin for an advanced Jefferson nickel Registry Set. Tied for finest at PCGS, and none reach this level at NGC. Population: 3 in 67 Full Steps, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 22UP, PCGS# 84050

1953-S Jefferson Nickel, MS65 Rare Full Steps Example





3030 1953-S MS65 Full Steps PCGS. The dies for the 1953-S Jefferson nickel were overused and the issue has a reputation as a strike rarity in the series. Bernard Nagengast estimates only one example in 5,000 will grade as high as MS65, with five Full Steps on Monticello. This spectacular Gem representative exhibits well-detailed design elements overall, with a touch of the usual softness on Jefferson's hair and the windows on Monticello. Five steps on the building show full definition, however, and both sides radiate satiny mint luster, with subtle highlights of pewter-gray toning. Some flow lines are evident in the fields but no mentionable defects are noted. Population: 7 in 65 (1 in 65+) Full Steps, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22UR, PCGS# 84051

EARLY HALF DIME

1802 Draped Bust Half Dime, Good Details Legendary Early Rarity, V-1, LM-1





3031 1802 V-1, LM-1, Amato-126, R.5 — Damage — PCGS Genuine. Good Details. From a tiny mintage of 3,060 pieces, the 1802 half dime is a famous rarity, and the issue has been coveted by collectors since the beginning of organized numismatics in the 1860s. The majority of survivors are in low grade, but collectors prize examples in all grades and conditions. The present piece is granular from whizzing, and unexpected sharpness near UNUM is consistent with a minor bend. Repaired on the right obverse field and on the back of the neck. An opportunity to acquire an affordable example of this important date.

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2005), lot 2246; Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2008), lot 515.

From The McDonald Family Collection.

SEATED HALF DIMES

1843 Half Dime, MS68 Single Finest Certified





3032 1843 MS68 NGC. NGC has certified 1843 dimes on 263 occasions over the years, but only two pieces have archived a grade above MS66: a sole MS67 example, and the present lot. PCGS has yet to grade any finer than MS67+. The present boldly struck Superb Gem is lightly clashed northeast of the wreath bow, but the surfaces appear devoid of abrasions. The reverse exhibits vibrant rose-red, cobalt-blue, and gunmetal-gray periphery toning. The obverse is dappled in medium navy-blue and magenta shades. An interesting triangle-shaped strike-through (as coined) is noted on the obverse rim near 6 o'clock. Census: 1 in 68, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2334, PCGS# 4332

1862 Half Dime, MS68 Tied for Finest of the Type





3033 1862 MS68 PCGS. CAC. PCGS has certified only 44 Seated Liberty half dimes in MS68 (only 4 are MS68+) and they have never examined a finer grade example. This glittering, sharply struck Superb Gem has splashes of gold and blue toning on its frosty and fully lustrous silver surfaces. An impressive example for a type set or specialized half dime collection. Population: 8 in 68, 0 finer. CAC: 3 in 68, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 234B, PCGS# 4381

BUST DIMES

1809 Dime, Choice Mint State JR-1, Sole Die Pair for Date





3034 1809 JR-1, R.4, MS64 NGC. The only die marriage for this scarce date, which boasts a mintage of just 51,065 pieces. Diagnostics for JR-1 include a "Scarface" die break on Liberty's cheek, a center dot (perhaps from a compass point) at the top of her neck, and a slightly softer strike on UNITED than the remainder of the legends. This is a splendid example with medium forest-green, golden-brown, and lavender-gray toning. Above the E in AMERICA, a slender strike-through (as made) provides an identifier. Census: 4 in 64, 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 236U, PCGS# 38771 Base PCGS# 4486

1820 JR-5 Dime, MS65 Just One Certified Finer





3035 1820 Medium 0, JR-5, R.4, MS65 PCGS. There is no end to the confusion about Small 0, Medium 0, and Large 0 designations for the 13 1820 dime varieties. Part of the problem is that both date and denomination digits vary. PCGS calls JR-5 a Small 0 variety, while Heritage terminology suggests it is a Medium 0. Other references consider JR-5 a Large 0. The digit controversy aside, this JR-5 is a lustrous and attractively toned Gem. Blue and amber-gold border toning lightens to light-gold centers. Stars 5, 6, and 7 are softly struck, as are the eagle's talons and arrow fletchings, although the remaining elements are sharply struck from clashed dies. Eye appeal is strong. Population: 1 in 65, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 236X, PCGS# 38785 Base PCGS# 4493

SEATED DIME

1838-O Seated Dime, F-102 MS64+ Single-Year No Stars Type





3036 1838-O No Stars, F-102, R.3, MS64+ PCGS. The so-called "Huge O" mintmark leans right, identifying this die pair. The obverse was previously used to strike 1838-O F-101 dimes and is in a later state here with weakness showing around the dentils and deterioration on the date. Antique steel and gold patina covers each side with satiny underlying mint luster. The central motifs are strongly struck, and the fields are smooth. This is the first New Orleans Seated dime issue and the only one featuring the No Stars obverse. Always popular with collectors. Population (all varieties): 17 in 64 (4 in 64+), 5 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 237T, PCGS# 537645 Base PCGS# 4564

PROOF SEATED DIMES

1848 Seated Liberty Dime, PR55 Rare Early Proof





3037 1848 F-103, R.7, PR55 PCGS. The 1848 proof Seated Liberty dime is a rare early proof issue with a surviving population of 8-10 examples in all grades, including one in the Smithsonian Institution and another in the collection of the American Numismatic Society. This recently discovered PR55 example displays razor-sharp design elements with just a trace of friction on the high points. The lightly abraded surfaces are hazily reflective, with subtle highlights of powder-blue and pale gold toning. PCGS# 538990 Base PCGS# 4735

BARBER DIMES

1895 Dime, MS67+ Top-Graded Semikey





3038 1895 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. Barber dimes circulated extensively, few being preserved for numismatic purposes because of what was at the time considered an uninspiring design. High-mintage dates are conditionally scarce today as a result, and low-mintage issues are, without fail, key or semikey dates. The 1895 dime has a mintage of 690,000 pieces, which is small for the series. Examples are elusive in MS65 and are genuinely rare finer. This Superb Gem is among the finest 1895 Barber dimes seen by PCGS and is firmly within the Condition Census. A prime Registry Set candidate, it shows shimmering, frosty luster and original lilac-gray, yellow-gold, and sea-green toning. The strike is sharp, and the preservation is exceptional. A beautiful type or date representative. Population: 7 in 67 (4 in 67+), 0 finer. CAC: 5 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23DV, PCGS# 4806

1901-S Barber Dime, MS67 CAC Approved Registry Grade Example



3039 1901-S MS67 PCGS. CAC. The 1901-S is an intriguing lowermintage Barber dime issue. In an article published in the September 13, 1999 edition of Coin World, Paul Gilkes suggests that a number of San Francisco issues, including the 1901, "might carry higher price tags, but specimens are usually available." Of course, at the MS67 level, all bets are off: PCGS has graded just five MS67 pieces (including one in 67+) and none finer (1/20). This gorgeous piece, carefully preserved and satiny, offers a lovely blend of pale silverblue, dusky gold-orange, and rose toning. A memorable opportunity for the Barber dime collector. Population: 5 in 67 (1 in 67+), 0 finer. CAC: 3 in 67, 0 finer (1/20).

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/2001), lot 8032; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 5/2009), lot 487. NGC ID# 23EH, PCGS# 4876

MERCURY DIMES

1916-D Mercury Dime, MS63 Full Bands Key to the Series





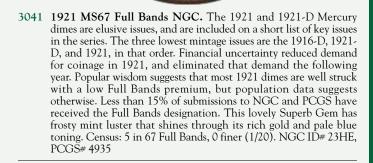
3040 1916-D MS63 Full Bands PCGS. The Mint's release of Philadelphia Mercury dimes in October 1916 made big news, but more than two months later a much smaller Denver mintage attracted little attention. Just 264,000 1916-D dimes were struck, with most pieces placed into circulation unnoticed by both collectors and the public. A late-year mintage of 1916-D Barber quarters (more than 6.5 million pieces) took precedence.

Today, 1916-D Mercury dimes command large premiums from collectors in all grades. Mint State examples are scarce-to-rare according to grade level, and Full Bands coins are prized. This Select Uncirculated Full Bands example displays a lustrous, lilacsilver surfaces with a faint freckling of gold and gray accents. The sharp strike exists throughout the motifs, adding to its substantial eye appeal.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 23GY, PCGS# 4907

1921 Dime, MS67 Full Bands Tied for the Finest Certified





1942/1 Dime, MS63 Full Bands Popular *Guide Book* Overdate





1942/1 FS-101 MS63 Full Bands PCGS. The 1942/1 Mercury dime was caused by a wartime hubbing error, like the 1918/7-D Buffalo nickel and the 1918/7-S Standing Liberty quarter. The issue has been a sought-after key to the series since its discovery in 1943. This attractive Select specimen is sharply detailed throughout, with Full Bands definition on the fasces. The lightly marked, lustrous surfaces exhibit delicate highlights of pale jade toning. Population: 10 in 63 Full Bands, 31 finer (1/20).

From The Triplets Collection. PCGS# 145474 Base PCGS# 5037

PROOF MERCURY DIMES

1937 Mercury Dime, PR68+ Tied for Finest Certified Beautifully Toned





3043 1937 PR68+ NGC. CAC. Gleaming fields and boldly rendered design elements are among the many attributes of this almost perfectly preserved 1937 proof, tied for the finest known at either service. Vivid multicolor peripheral hues emerge well-into the fields but leave the central devices brilliant. The result is something of a cameo effect with beautiful toning in place of the usual blackened mirroring. Census: 40 in 68 (2 in 68+, 2 in 68★), 0 finer. CAC: 7 in 68, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 27DH, PCGS# 5072

1938 Mercury Dime, PR68+ Among the Finest at PCGS





3044 1938 PR68+ PCGS. Only 8,728 proof Mercury dimes were struck in 1938 and few survivors can match the quality and eye appeal of this Plus-graded PR68 example. This coin exhibits razor-sharp definition on all design elements and the impeccably preserved surfaces include deeply reflective fields, with some subtle highlights of lime-green toning. Population: 22 in 68 (2 in 68+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 27DI, PCGS# 5073

1941 Mercury Dime, Unimprovable PR69 Immaculate Preservation





3045 1941 PR69 NGC. A remarkable display of iridescent rainbow toning embraces the smoothly brilliant silver center on the obverse, while the reverse is less dramatically toned but equally pristine and attractive.

As expected, the surfaces are fully struck and essentially flawless, befitting the MS69 grade that makes this one of the two finest 1941 proof dimes at either service. NGC reports just seven other PR69 dimes for all dates in the short proof series 1936-1942, while PCGS lists just three PR69s, all 1942 coins. The current coin is seemingly unsurpassable for Registry Set purposes. Census: 2 in 69, 0 finer (1/20).

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2016), lot 3171. NGC ID# 27DM, PCGS# 5076

PROOF TWENTY CENT PIECE

1877 Twenty Cent Piece, PR65 Rare Ultra Cameo Example





3046 1877 PR65 Ultra Cameo NGC. BF-1, R.3. The short-lived twenty cent denomination was never popular with the general public because the coins were often confused with the long-established Seated Liberty quarters, which they closely resembled in size and obverse design. No business-strike examples were produced in 1877, but the Philadelphia Mint struck 510 examples in proof format to satisfy collector demand. The issue is the acknowledged key to the series today and examples with Ultra Cameo surfaces are seldom encountered.

The present coin is a delightful Gem with well-detailed, richly frosted design elements that contrast boldly with the deeply reflective fields. Highlights of cerulean-blue and golden-tan toning visit the well-preserved surfaces. Overall eye appeal is terrific. Census: 1 in 65 Ultra Cameo, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 27H4, PCGS# 95305

EARLY QUARTERS

1796 Draped Bust Quarter, Good Details Low-Mintage, One-Year Design Type





3047 1796 B-2, R.3 — Damage — PCGS Genuine. Good Details. Star 15 is positioned further from the bust, identifying the BD-2 variety. The obverse of this first-year key retains much more detail than the heavily worn reverse, but some weakness shows on the rim from 12 to 2 o'clock. The upper reverse legend is worn nearly smooth, along with most of the central portion of the wreath and eagle's body. The eagle's head, right (facing) wing, and upper wreath remain distinguishable, but weak. The lightly abraded surfaces are dovegray in the centers, darkening to steel-blue at the margins. From The McDonald Family Collection.

1796 Quarter, Good 4 B-2, Original Surfaces





3048 1796 B-2, R.3, Good 4 NGC. Tompkins Die State 2/1. The 1796 quarter is a necessary one-year type coin, and has been sought after by collectors since U.S. coinage first began to be collected in the late-1850s. As seen by the grade, the surfaces show expected heavy wear; however, the date is clear and strong with all four digits strongly impressed. The surfaces lack any mentionable marks or other imperfections. The center of each side is either nearly untoned or lightly so, while the margins display rainbow toning (especially the obverse). This lot will prove a prize for some lucky type collector. NGC ID# 23RA, PCGS# 38920 Base PCGS# 5310

BUST QUARTER

1834 B-1 Quarter, MS65+ Prooflike O Over F in OF, CAC Endorsed



3049 1834 O Over F in OF, B-1, FS-901, R.1, MS65+ Prooflike PCGS. CAC. Tompkins Die State 1/1, struck from perfect dies without any die cracks and with A's in AMERICA unfilled. The first star is distant from the forward tip of the bustline, and star 7 is repunched. On the reverse, there is no period after 25 C diagnostic of the Browning-1 variety. This is the so-called O/F (in OF) reverse, one carried over from the 1833 B-2 die pairing. The Tompkins reference identifies this die as produced from a "unique master hub, Reverse-F," the only one that shows two-line stripes in the reverse shield and an eagle with no tongue. The Guide Book lists the O/F variety, as does Cherrypickers', adding to the B-1 popularity among specialists.

Clearly the present coin is an early strike off of new working dies, earning it the Prooflike designation from PCGS. It would be no surprise if at one time or another, this coin was called a proof — it is that sharp. The surfaces are highly reflective on both sides, with much contrast between the devices and the mirrored fields. There is little discernible color — just a brief speckling of cloudy-gray patina, with a trace of light die rust above the eagle's head. Seemingly, the coin is only a few small contact marks away from an even finer grade. For the 1834 date this piece is the sole 1834 Prooflike certified (1/20). This piece is also, in MS65+ Prooflike, easily within the Condition Census for the B-1 variety. A wonderful and historic coin from the early days of the Mint, suited for the finest type or variety set. NGC 1D# 23RZ, PCGS# 38992 Base PCGS# 5353

PROOF BUST QUARTER

1831 Capped Bust Quarter, PR65 Cameo Rare Early Proof Large Letters, B-5



3050 1831 Large Letters PR65 Cameo NGC. B-5, R.7 as a Proof. Walter Breen, writing of the 1831 proof quarter in his 1989 Encyclopedia of United States and Colonial Proof Coins, says the Mint Director sent 20 "specimens" of this date to President Jackson and 20 more to Treasury Secretary D.C. Ingham to show off the new modified design using beaded borders and close collar. Breen indicates that these may not all have been proofs. In fact, the author writes in his Complete Encyclopedia that there are possibly a dozen proofs known. This figure more or less corresponds with the 16 1831 proof quarters certified by NGC and PCGS (1/20).

Early proofs were avidly sought by 19th century numismatists. An early auction appearance of the 1831 proof quarter was in lot 1341 of the Thomas Cleneay Collection (S.H. & H. Chapman, 12/1890), "1831 Brilliant proof. Sharp, perfect impression. Large letters on rev. Very rare." The lot realized \$14.50, a strong price at the time, to Charles Steigerwalt. More recent sales include the prior appearance of this coin in lot 2334 of the Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2009), which brought \$51,750.

The reflective fields of this delightful Gem yield pleasing contrast with the motifs at certain angles. Soft reddish-tan patina in the fields tends to further this variance by highlighting the mostly light gray design elements. A well executed strike imparts nearly complete definition to the design features, the sole exception being softness in some of the star centers. Close inspection reveals no mentionable surface or rim marks that can be used as pedigree identifiers. A few wispy hairlines intermingled with die polish lines in the fields only show up under high magnification. In summary, an extremely attractive Cameo. This coin is listed in the number 5 position in the Condition Census on PCGS CoinFacts.

Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2009), lot 2334. PCGS# 410001 Base PCGS# 5378

SEATED QUARTERS

1850-O Quarter, MS65 Among the Finest Known





3051 1850-O MS65 NGC. Briggs 1-B. Apparently this beautifully toned Gem was recently graded as the NGC Census Report shows one MS65 and one MS66 (1/20). However, this is a different coin from the MS65 NGC example that we sold as part of the Eugene H. Gardner Collection. Although 412,000 New Orleans Mint quarters were struck in 1850, few have survived in Mint State grades, despite a small hoard of half a dozen examples that surfaces a little over 30 years ago. This impressive piece has light gold toning over silver luster at the centers, gradually changing to lavender and cobalt-blue near the borders. Trivial marks are evident on the reflective surfaces. NGC ID# 23T5, PCGS# 5416

1872-CC Quarter, Choice VF A Rarity in Any Grade



3052 1872-CC VF35 NGC. Briggs 1-A. According to Dave Bowers' A Guide Book of Liberty Seated Silver Coins (2016), delivery figures for the 1872-CC quarter include 8,000 coins on February 29, 5,750 on March 30, 5,100 on September 27, and 4,000 on December 31 for a total of 22,850 pieces. Rusty Goe (2003) suggests a mintage of only 9,100 coins, representing the sum of the latter two deliveries. No explanation is given for the discrepancy. A little over 100 coins are certified, which is only slightly higher than Goe's estimated surviving population of 50 to 70 pieces. This attractive mid-grade quarter shows expected blending over the central devices, but LIBERTY remains strong, as do the date and mintmark. Each side features pleasing lavender-gray patina. The 1872-CC is a rarity in any grade and worthy of serious consideration. Census: 2 in 35, 6 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23US, PCGS# 5482

PROOF BARBER QUARTER

1903 Quarter, PR68 Cameo Remarkable Black-and-White Contrast





3053 1903 PR68 Cameo NGC. CAC. Post-1902 proofs with Cameo contrast are seldom seen and highly sought by collectors. This black-and-white Superb Gem Barber quarter with CAC approval showcases thick frost over the devices, contrasting against the surrounding mirrors. A practically flawless coin. Census: 8 in 68 Cameo (1 in 68 ★, 1 in 68+ ★), 1 finer. CAC: 8 in 68, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 242J, PCGS# 85689

STANDING LIBERTY QUARTERS

1916 Quarter Dollar, Unc Details Key Standing Liberty Issue





3054 1916 — Cleaned — PCGS Genuine. Unc Details. The first year of Hermon MacNeil's Standing Liberty design, part of the early 20th century coinage renaissance, had a mintage of only 52,000 coins, and survivors from that production are rarely encountered. This piece is nicely detailed and shows light gold toning on its light silver surfaces with minimal marks.

1916 Standing Liberty Quarter, MS64 Low-Mintage, First-Year Key





3055 1916 MS64 NGC. Always a collector favorite, the 1916 Standing Liberty quarter is an important transitional issue that bridges the old Barber coinage and the inspired Standing Liberty design by MacNeil. The 1916, of course, is a desirable issue in any grade due to its limited production of only 52,000 pieces. Coins in this outstanding grade are legitimately scarce and generally encountered only in major public auctions. This piece has a light overlay of speckled golden and lilac patina with full underlying matte-like luster. Normal striking softness is found on the obverse, while the reverse displays excellent sharpness.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2005), lot 30187. NGC ID# 2425, PCGS# 5673

1916 Standing Liberty Quarter, MS64 CAC-Approved Full Head Example



3056 1916 MS64 Full Head PCGS. CAC. The Standing Liberty quarter design that the Mint ultimately used for coinage in December 1916 was strikingly close to the models that Hermon MacNeil originally submitted in the spring design competition. However, MacNeil's high relief rendering of Liberty's figure was reduced to accommodate coinage requirements, leaving many of the obverse details soft and indistinct. The Mint Director requested that the obverse be sharpened, although that request was not implemented until the 1917-dated hubs were being prepared. The 1916 Standing Liberty quarter, then, was struck with the unmodified obverse, which shows the shield, stars, and Liberty's gown features softly detailed.

The softness of the 1916 obverse leads many collectors to believe that Full Head coins are rare. In the context of Mint State 1916 quarters, however, Full Head coins represent a significant portion of the population. The 1916 obverse does not have the three-dimensional head detail seen on later issues but rather shows just some engraving lines for strands of hair. The presence of these "hair lines" differentiates a Full Head 1916 from a non-Full Head coin.

The present example is about as well-detailed as the 1916 quarter ever comes. Luster is satiny and toned in natural gold, russet, and amber hues, with areas of iridescence throughout. Only a few trivial contact marks are seen. NGC ID# 2AMV, PCGS# 5705

1916 Standing Liberty Quarter Toned MS65 Full Head



3057 1916 MS65 Full Head PCGS. The 1916 Standing Liberty quarter has captivated collectors for more than a century. Only 52,000 examples of this issue were struck, and as early as mid-1917, dealers such as Henry Chapman were offering Uncirculated examples for sale at \$1 apiece. At the time, no attention was paid to the sharpness of the strike, and the Full Head classification of some specimens came about decades later. Today, Gem Full Head examples of this issue are highly sought-after.

The present example displays soft, satiny mint luster and warm amber-gold and violet toning. Neither side has distracting abrasions, and strike sharpness is strong for the issue. Eye appeal is excellent. PCGS lists just 27 finer Full Head specimens, including possible duplication (1/20).

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 2AMV, PCGS# 5705

1916 Standing Liberty Quarter, MS65 Elusive Full Head Specimen





3058 1916 MS65 Full Head NGC. Hermon MacNeil's depiction of Liberty appeared on the quarter dollar for the first time in December 1916, after months of design revisions and modifications at the hands of the Mint's engraving department. The new designs for the dime and half dollar were already in production by the time the quarter dollar got its approval for coinage. Only 52,000 examples of the twenty five cent denomination were struck with the 1916 date. As a result, the 1916 Standing Liberty quarter is the rarest date of the series and examples are prized by collectors in all grades.

This is a delightful Gem with well-detailed design elements and Full Head definition, which is seldom seen on the 1916. Finely textured luster on both sides highlights a few hints of pale golden toning to enhance the eye appeal. A couple of tiny ticks on Liberty's knee are not bothersome. Census: 53 in 65 (2 in 65+ Full Head, 2 in 65★), 24 finer (1/20).

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2013), lot 6399. NGC ID# 2AMV, PCGS# 5705

1918/7 Quarter, FS-101, AU53 Dramatic 20th Century Variety





3059 1918/7-S FS-101 AU53 PCGS. Considering most examples of this dramatic 20th century variety survive in well-worn condition, the present AU53 representative exhibits remarkable detail on the shield and other exposed elements. Friction is minimal. Most importantly, the date remains strong with the underlying 7 clear beneath the 8. Partially frosted surfaces lightly toned in dusky gold patina display a few powder-blue accents. NGC ID# 243A, PCGS# 395949 Base PCGS# 5726



1918/7-S Quarter, MS63 Smooth and Lightly Toned





3060 1918/7-S FS-101 MS63 PCGS. The 1918/7-S is the rarest Standing Liberty quarter issue in Mint State, and becomes the key to the series in such condition, surpassing the low mintage 1916. The 1918/7-S is also the only overdate among 20th century quarter issues. The overdate is prominent, with the diagonal downstroke of the 7 undeniable. The flat top of the 7 is also apparent. The overdate was created when a working obverse die was hubbed by working obverse hubs bearing different dates, 1917 and 1918. This is a wonderful Select representative that boasts smooth satiny surfaces and light, attractive golden-russet toning near the rims. Population: 27 in 63, 35 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 243A, PCGS# 395949 Base PCGS# 5726

1920-D Quarter, MS66 Full Head Incredible Sharp Throughout Perfect Reverse Die State





3061 1920-D MS66 Full Head PCGS. This is a truly spectacular 1920-D quarter, not only with regards to its grade but also the strike sharpness and the die state. It is almost fully struck, showing needle-sharp head definition as well as remarkably sharp date numerals and border beading. Only a couple of the shield rivets lack fully rounded definition. There is a thin die crack from the rim into Liberty's head, but no other signs of die erosion are evident on the obverse.

The reverse is struck from a fresh die, yielding crisp sharpness throughout the stars and eagle feathers, while producing a satiny, semireflective sheen in the fields that can only come from a new die. Luster is brilliant and undisturbed by abrasions, with a degree of eye appeal not seen on many other 1920-D quarters. A beautiful Registry coin, surpassing its few known peers in many respects. Population: 16 in 66 (2 in 66+) Full Head, 6 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 243F, PCGS# 5737

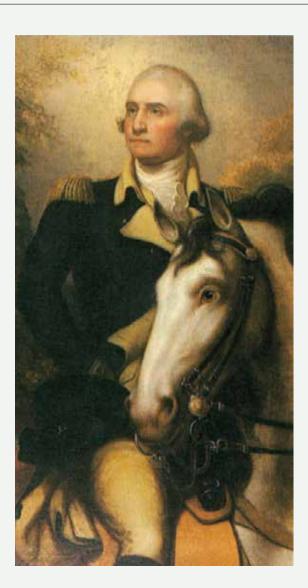
WASHINGTON QUARTER

1934 Washington Quarter, MS68 Tied for Finest Certified





3062 1934 MS68 NGC. This magnificent 1934 Washington quarter is tied with two other examples at PCGS for the title of Finest Certified. The design elements are sharply detailed throughout and the impeccably preserved surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides. Attractive highlights of champagne toning add to the terrific eye appeal. Census: 1 in 68, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 244A, PCGS# 5793



EARLY HALF DOLLARS

1796 Draped Bust Half, VG Details Rare Early Type Key, O-101





3063 1796 15 Stars, O-101, T-1, Amato-166, R.5 — Repaired — PCGS Genuine. VG Details. Tompkins Die State 5/3, with a faint die crack from the tip of U in UNITED to the rim near N. The Draped Bust Small Eagle half dollars of 1796 and 1797 are premier rarities in the U.S. federal series. Both dates share a paltry mintage of 3,918 pieces, and the issues constitute a desirable two-year design type. Two die varieties are known for the 1796 half dollar. This coin represents the O-101 variety, with 15 stars on the obverse.

This impressive O-101 specimen displays silver devices that are highlighted against mauve and bluish fields that take on deeper gunmetal-gray around portions of the borders. While most of the design elements lack much internal detail, they are strongly outlined and differentiated from the fields. This specimen exhibits the typically-seen die crack from the rim at 5 o'clock that makes a right turn in the drapery and then connects stars 15, 14, and 13. Three shallow, toned-over light scratches in the central reverse may help to identify the coin. Liberty's portrait has been subjected to some sort of abrasive (perhaps in an attempt to remove what looks like a shallowly engraved "P") that has left several mostly-vertical, hairline scratches that are visible under high magnification. When viewed only with the naked eye, the blemishes on this piece are not readily apparent and this coin will be a welcome addition to an advanced collection or type set.

Ex: NASCA Sale (RARCOA, 2/1972), lot 345; Dallas Signature (Heritage, 7/2006), lot 2394.

From The McDonald Family Collection.

1797 Draped Bust Half, AG Details Classic Rarity, O-101a



3064 1797 O-101a, T-1, Amato-453, High R.4 — Damage — PCGS Genuine. AG Details. Tompkins Die State 5/4, with the die crack from star 4 through star 6. The O-101a example in this lot displays the typically-seen die cracks (including the obverse crack that travels from the rim through star 2 to Liberty's curl), except where they are worn away. The crack connecting the bottoms of ST in STATES, another extending from the lower upright of the first T through a leaf to the eagle's neck, and one traveling from the rim just right of the last S in STATES to two leaves below, are all visible. Both sides display silver-gray surfaces that show slightly darker color in some of the protected areas. Uneven wear results from the coin having been slightly bent. The design elements exhibit fairly strong detail on Liberty's upper facial features, on the flowing ribbon and hair curls beneath, on the 17_7 of the date, on the stars along the left border, and on the ERTY of LIBERTY. On the reverse, most of the eagle shows, except for its right (left facing) wing, as does the bowknot and fraction below, and the letters UNIT, all of STATES, and the letters AME. A few small planchet defects are scattered about, especially on the obverse, and a noticeable scratch extends from the rim above star 1 through the lower curls. Some thin, relatively unobtrusive pinscratches are also noted on each side. The opportunity to acquire such an "affordable" example arises only infrequently.

Ex: Stack's, April 1976, lot 612; Bowers and Ruddy, February 1977, lot 1229; Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2006), lot 1924.

From The McDonald Family Collection.

1797 Draped Bust Half, VG8 O-101a, Small Eagle Reverse



3065 1797 O-101a, T-1, High R.4, VG8 PCGS. Amato Unlisted. Tompkins Die State 4/4. Numerous die cracks occupy both sides of this O-101a example, indicating the late die state. Mintages of both the 1796 and 1797 Small Eagle half dollars are combined in the Guide Book, showing a total of 3,918 pieces struck. Recent research by Steve Tompkins suggests a likely total of 1,934 1796-dated pieces were struck, and 1,984 1797-dated coins were issued. All were delivered in 1797. Together, the 1796 and 1797 Small Eagle issues comprise the rarest two-year type among all U.S. silver coinage.

This is an untraced example of the 1797 O-101a die marriage, with a leaf tip pointing to the left foot of the second T in STATES. Heavy wear exists throughout the lilac-gray surfaces, particularly at the eagle's right (facing) wing and at the lower-left reverse. Areas of deep-gray toning crowd the recesses in the legends and near the central devices. A small rim bump is seen between stars 11 and 12, as well as a short test cut between E and R of LIBERTY. Given the demand for 1797 halves in any condition, this solid VG example is sure to please any early half specialist or type collector. Population: 7 in 8, 83 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24EC, PCGS# 39265 Base PCGS# 6060

1802 Draped Bust Half Dollar, AU53 Challenging Low-Mintage Issue, O-101 Ex: Garrett-Pryor



3066 1802 O-101, T-1, R.3, AU53 PCGS. Ex: Pryor. Only 29,890 Draped Bust half dollars were minted in 1802, and the date is the most difficult to locate of all the Heraldic Eagle half dollars, especially in high grades. Only one die variety is known for the issue.

The present coin has an illustrious history, linked to three great collections of past years. This example surfaced in the collection of John Colvin Randall, the great 19th century student of die varieties. W. Elliot Woodward sold the collection in 1885. The description in his auction catalog reads, "1802 Uncirculated; brilliant. The finest I have met with; extremely rare. Plate." The lot was sold to T. Harrison Garrett, a director of the B & O Railroad, of Monopoly fame, and the architect of the famous Garrett Collection. The coin later found a place in the James Bennett Pryor Collection, a specialized gathering of half dollars known for the quality and completeness of the collection.

The coin offered here is an attractively toned high-grade example, with a sharp strike and minimally abraded surfaces. The surfaces are a pleasing greenish-gray, with touches of rose and blue in areas. Population: 2 in 53, 4 finer (1/20).

Ex: John Colvin Randall Collection (Woodward, 6/1885), lot 221; T. Harrison Garrett; John Work Garrett; Johns Hopkins University; Garrett Collection (Bowers and Ruddy, 11/1979), lot 278; James Bennett Pryor Collection (Bowers and Merena, 1/1996), lot 5; Douglas L. Noblet Collection / Rarities Sale (Bowers and Merena, 1/1999), lot 8; ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2010), lot 3139; Pre-Long Beach Auction (Goldberg Auctioneers, 1/2011), lot 1416. NGC ID# 24EE, PCGS# 39269 Base PCGS# 6065

1807 Draped Bust Half, MS64 O-102, High Condition Census Unseen at Auction in 25+ Years



3067 1807 Draped Bust, O-102, T-8, R.2, MS64 PCGS. Tompkins Die State 2/2. This is an amazingly lustrous and vibrant Draped Bust half regardless of date or variety. We last saw this exceptional O-102 at our 1994 ANA Signature sale as lot 6562, and it remains in the same green label PCGS holder to this day. Back then, we described the coin as clearly the finest-known of its variety. Over the past 25+ years, two other O-102 pieces contest the top spot in the Condition Census — one MS64 example, and a single MS65. We have recently sold both of those coins (in 2015), and suggest that the present near-Gem displays at least comparable technical quality, with dramatically different visual impact.

The smooth and nearly mark-free surfaces are brilliant, framed by ring of splendid amber-gold toning at the margins of each side. The dies clashed early-on when O-102 was struck, creating this textbook example of the early-to-mid die state. The eagle is fully feathered head to talons, and Liberty's hair strands show sharp definition. The drapery folds could not be sharper. A tiny tick on the neck would be ignored in most descriptions, and the fields are remarkably unabraded, with no toning to hide even the slightest imperfections. Steve Herrman's latest Condition Census is 65,64,64,63,63 — a situation that may change when this outstanding O-102 again crosses the block after a 25-year absence. NGC ID# 24EM, PCGS# 39339 Base PCGS# 6079

BUST HALF DOLLARS

1808/7 Half Dollar, O-101, MS64 First Overdate in the Capped Bust Series Qualifies for the Condition Census



3068 1808/7 O-101, R.1, MS64 PCGS. CAC. Struck from a late state of the dies with extensive cracks on the obverse, the peripheral devices drawn toward the rims, and heavy flow lines in the fields. Evidence of the underlying 7 remains beneath the 8. Liberty's portrait and the eagle exhibit strong detail on the curls and feathers. Pale gold and dusky blue-gray patina adorns smooth, softly lustrous surfaces. This 1808/7 Capped Bust half dollar represents the first overdate variety in the series and in MS64 qualifies for the low end of the Condition Census. Population: 14 in 64 (1 in 64+), 2 finer. CAC: 5 in 64, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24ER, PCGS# 39378 Base PCGS# 6091

1808 Capped Bust Half Dollar, MS64 Pleasingly Toned O-109a



3069 1808 O-109a, R.3, MS64 PCGS. CAC. Ex: Link. This Choice Uncirculated example shows a touch of flatness on the right-hand stars and traces of die wear throughout the otherwise well-defined motifs. Nearly unmarked surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster under shades of dusky gray, golden-brown, and lavender toning, with outstanding eye appeal. An interesting network of die cracks and die clashing identify a late die state. While the O-109a variety is less scarce in high grades than some other 1808 die marriages, it is seldom seen as carefully preserved and colorfully toned as this well-pedigreed example. CAC endorsement adds to its impressive resume.

From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24EP, PCGS# 39375 Base PCGS# 6090

1829 O-112a Half Dollar, MS65+ Late Die State





3070 1829 Small Letters, O-112a, R.2, MS65+ NGC. A series of diagonal lines to the left of star 13 are missing due to die lapping, and the right-side stars are spindly as a result. Line 3 of vertical stripe 5 extends to the second horizontal stripe. The fields are mostly reflective beneath a dusting of reddish-tan obverse toning that gathers around the raised elements. The reverse shows grayish toning at the margins, mellowed by pale-gold hues toward the center. This is a sharply struck Gem Uncirculated example of the late die state, tied at the top end of the Condition Census for O-112a. NGC ID# 24FS, PCGS# 39796 Base PCGS# 6154

SEATED HALF DOLLARS

1866 Motto Half Dollar, MS66 WB-102, Misplaced Date





3071 1866 Motto, Misplaced Date, WB-102, FS-302, MS66 PCGS. CAC. The upper loop of a misplaced 6 protrudes from the denticles below the second primary. This intriguing *Cherrypickers'* variety is identifiable and obtainable in low grades but is rarely seen in Mint State. This Premium Gem example exhibits frosty luster beneath dusky champagne-gray, gold, and pale sea-green toning. The strike is well-executed and we do not find any troublesome abrasions. A small speck is noted on the reverse below the T in UNITED. Population (all varieties included): 6 in 66 (1 in 66+), 2 finer (1/20).

Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2015), lot 4498. PCGS# 413730 Base PCGS# 6319

1873 No Arrows Seated Half, XF40 WB-101, Rare Open 3 Variety





3072 1873 No Arrows, Open 3, WB-101, XF40 PCGS. The rarity of 1873 No Arrows, Open 3 halves is well established, but has little relation to its "official" mintage of 214,200 pieces. That mintage is speculative at best, and may be vastly overstated. Many 1873 No Arrows coins may have been melted prior to the new weight standard that took effect on April 1, 1873. As it is, the 1873 No Arrows variant is undoubtedly the rarest 1873 half dollar from any mint and one of the most challenging type coins in any series. This is a richly toned example, with brownish-gray toning that contrasts with silver-gray raised elements. Marks are few and the strike remains strong, with grade-consistent wear on the high points. Population: 3 in 40, 6 finer (1/20). PCGS# 572206 Base PCGS# 6337

1878-S Seated Liberty Half, Good Details Low-Mintage Key





3073 1878-S WB-101, Die Pair 1, R.5 — Repaired — PCGS Genuine. Good Details. The 1878-S Seated Liberty half dollar claims a small mintage of 12,000 pieces and relatively few examples were saved by contemporary collectors. PCGS CoinFacts estimate fewer than 50 examples survive today in all grades. The design elements remain complete in outline on this evenly worn specimen and some interior detail remains intact in Liberty's gown and the eagle's feathers. The diagnostic die lump (seen on all specimens of the 1878-S) is still visible in the first clear space in the shield. The lightly abraded surfaces feature raised white devices against light lavender-gray fields. On close inspection, some evidence of repair is evident in the left obverse field. The overall presentation is quite positive for this elusive Seated Liberty key.

From The McDonald Family Collection.

BARBER HALF DOLLARS

1904-S Half Dollar, Satiny MS64 Challenging Issue in Mint State





3074 1904-S MS64 PCGS. Barber coinage circulated extensively and failed to catch the interest of contemporary collectors. Highmintage dates became conditionally rare, and low-mintage issues became elusive in all Mint State grades. The 1904-S boasts a modest mintage of 553,038 coins, making it scarce in Uncirculated condition. Examples grading finer than MS64 are rare. This piece displays satiny mint luster and is devoid of bothersome abrasions. Light golden toning warms each side, and flecks of ocean-blue also appear along the lower obverse border. Typical of the issue, this coin exhibits moderate strike softness on the reverse, on the right shield corner and the eagle's right (facing) leg and talons. Population: 34 in 64 (5 in 64+), 11 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24MP, PCGS# 6500

1906-D Half Dollar, MS66+ Luminous Original Surfaces, CAC Just One Piece Certified Finer





3075 1906-D MS66+ PCGS. CAC. The 1906-D is a plentiful issue in circulated grades, and among Mint State examples it is a moderately available type coin. High-end Premium Gems are conditionally rare, representing the finest grade in which this issue is generally collectible. The present coin is Plus-graded by PCGS and CAC-endorsed — frosty, with original toning and pearlescent mint luster. Warm golden interiors cede to mint-green, yellow-gold, and blue border toning. Only slight strike weakness is seen on the eagle's right (facing) wing junction and talons. Population: 2 in 66+, 1 finer. CAC: 7 in 66, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24MV, PCGS# 6505

PROOF BARBER HALF DOLLAR

1895 Half Dollar, PR67 Beautifully Patinated, Fully Struck





3076 1895 PR67 PCGS. CAC. Although less famous than the proof silver dollar of the same date, the proof 1895 half dollar has an identical mintage of 880 pieces, and is highly desirable at the Superb Gem level. This remarkable specimen displays a needle-sharp strike. The glassy fields are undisturbed. Both sides exhibit lovely butter-gold, fire-red, and electric-blue patina, with the richest colors relegated to the margins. Population: 13 in 67 (1 in 67+), 2 finer. CAC: 10 in 67, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24NX, PCGS# 6542

WALKING LIBERTY HALF DOLLARS

1918-S Half Dollar, MS65 Brilliant and Highly Lustrous





3077 1918-S MS65 NGC. A prized member of the Walking Liberty set, Gem 1918-S halves are difficult to locate, and finer pieces are almost impossible. The splendid surfaces are brilliant throughout and display frosty mint luster. The strike is above average with Liberty's branch hand showing some details including a partial thumb. Skirt lines are typically weak, the result of improper design and not the pressure applied to this planchet by the coin press. The lines of the skirt on top of Liberty's leading leg are opposite the eagle's breast, aligning the deepest parts of the two dies. Census: 37 in 65, 3 finer (1/20).

Ex: Houston Signature (Heritage, 11/2007), lot 60992; ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2007), lot 1701. NGC ID# 24PX, PCGS# 6576

1938-D Half Dollar, MS67+ Popular Low-Mintage Issue



3078 1938-D MS67+ NGC. The 1938-D is celebrated for its low mintage. Among business Walking Liberty issues, only the 1921 and 1921-D issues have a lesser production. As was the case with its Buffalo nickel counterpart, the 1938-D half dollar was saved in Mint State, but at the MS67+ level it becomes conditionally very rare. As of (1/20), NGC has certified just three pieces as MS67+, and none have been graded MS68 or better by either leading service. This lustrous and essentially brilliant Superb Gem has a good strike and a mattelike obverse surface. Contact is confined to the field west of the date. NGC ID# 24RV, PCGS# 6605

PROOF WALKING LIBERTY HALF DOLLAR

1937 Half Dollar, PR68 Leading Registry Set Coin





3079 1937 PR68 PCGS. Spectacular preservation earns this 1937 proof high marks for eye appeal and ranks it among the finest examples certified by either service. Delicate pastel hues grace the mirrored fields, complementing satiny luster on the devices. Liberty's branch hand is a trifle soft, but the strike is otherwise as expected for a proof issue.

Any proof Walking Liberty half dollar is a challenge to acquire

Any proof Walking Liberty half dollar is a challenge to acquire in the lofty PR68 grade level, although the 1939 to 1942 issues are occasionally seen in this grade. The 1937 and 1938 coins are rare this fine, and the 1936 issue is almost unknown in this condition. The present 1937 coin is among the finest examples certified, a leading Registry Set contender. Population: 16 in 68 (1 in 68+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 5ESS, PCGS# 6637

PROOF FRANKLIN HALF DOLLARS

1951 Franklin Half, PR67+ Cameo Pristine and Peripherally Patinated





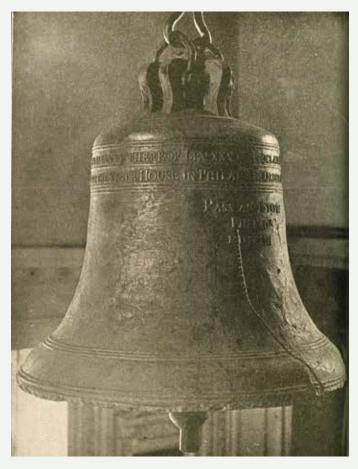
3080 1951 PR67+ Cameo PCGS. CAC. The 1951 has a much lower mintage than subsequent proof Franklin dates, and most specimens lack demonstrable white-on-black contrast. The present piece has frosty motifs, and additionally displays exquisite border toning, in sea-green, orange-red, and powder-blue shades. PCGS has certified just two pieces as PR67+ Cameo, and none have been certified finer by that service as either Cameo or Deep Cameo. CAC: 16 in 67, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 27VB, PCGS# 86692

1959 Franklin Half Dollar, PR67 Elusive Deep Cameo Example





3081 1959 PR67 Deep Cameo PCGS. CAC. Type Two Reverse, as on all proofs. According to Franklin half guru Rick Tomaska, "Despite a mintage of over 1 million proof sets, 1959 proof Franklins with significant, heavy cameo contrast on both obverse and reverse are rarely encountered." The present piece shows the desirable silver-on-black surfaces so desired by collectors of this difficult series, with only the most trivial distractions—a few tiny, loupe-visible-only dark flecks—possibly preventing an even finer grade. Population: 8 in 67 Deep Cameo, 1 finer. CAC: 4 in 67, 0 finer (12/19). Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2008), lot 2910. NGC ID# 4JAC, PCGS# 96700



1794 Dollar, Well-Defined VF Details B-1, BB-1, An American Classic



3082 1794 B-1, BB-1, R.4 — Repaired — PCGS Genuine. VF Details. The current count of surviving 1794 Flowing Hair dollars stands at 137 confirmed examples, with two or three additional pieces possibly extant based on unconfirmed and/ or unplated auction appearances. The 2010 Martin A. Logies book, The Flowing Hair Silver Dollars of 1794, pictures 134 known 1794 dollars, making it an important resource for early dollar collectors looking to add an authentic example of America's first silver dollar to their set.

The present coin surfaced relatively late in the storied 225-year history of the issue. Its first documented appearance was in a January 2007 Stack's auction, followed shortly thereafter by a subsequent 2007 offering by Bowers and Merena. Today, the piece is certified Genuine by PCGS with VF Details — a coin that lacks its wholly original surfaces, yet is sharply defined for the specified grade, with bold central elements and stronger peripheries than often seen on a 1794. The coin is documented by Logies on page 202 of his reference, which quotes its initial Stack's appearance (in part):

"Despite its shortcomings, the present specimen is an entirely suitable example of this great American rarity. Lightly cleaned long ago, long since retoned in smoky golden gray, lilac, and electric blue."

At the VF grade level, impaired 1794 dollars exist alongside examples with "original" fields and devices in about equal numbers. Not surprisingly, the price differential is substantial between coins with original surfaces vs. the many pieces with impairments. More than 40% of coins at the VF or lower grade levels show some degree of post-Mint damage and/or cleaning — many, like this coin, with slight microporosity in the fields.

The coin is a bit glossy from cleaning and light polishing, with a blush of pleasing orange patina across the central devices. A series of Mint-made planchet voids exist along the left obverse and reverse margins, with adjustment marks visible along the left reverse margin, where TED STATES weakens in those areas. The most noticeable planchet voids exist between T and E in UNITED, and directly opposite between obverse stars 5 and 6. An old effort to fill those voids is seen under a loupe. A rather heavy rim bump at star 5 and a prominent reverse rim notch just below 9 o'clock are the most obvious marks, while a flat spot on the rim above TE of STATES accompanies weakening of the upper dentils as often seen on 1794 dollars. A trivial, minor raised area is seen in the dentils below 7 in the date. The date itself is fully visible, albeit a trifle weak at the lower parts of 94. The left side stars are softly struck but entirely formed to indicate only minor misalignment of the dies.

In spite of its noted indignities and repairs, this 1794 dollar displays plentiful sharpness for the midgrade level, and it is destined to be a milestone acquisition for any collector seeking the widely-sought and historic first-year issue.

Ex: The Orlando Sale (Stack's, 1/2007), lot 781; Baltimore Sale (Bowers and Merena, 3/2007), lot 5001.

From The McDonald Family Collection.

1795 Flowing Hair Dollar, MS62 B-7, BB-18, Three Leaves, Head of '94 Exceptional Quality and Eye Appeal



3083 1795 Flowing Hair, Three Leaves, B-7, BB-18, R.3, MS62 NGC. While BB-18 (B-7) is one of the more-available Three Leaves varieties, it is much scarcer than the BB-27 (B-5). Among all Flowing Hair dollars, it is also much scarcer than the Two Leaves BB-21 (B-1), and it is the only Three Leaves variety paired with a Head of '94 obverse. The variety is generally well-produced, although the Mint struggled with planchet weight during its production, often requiring adjustment marks for overweight planchets and silver plugs for underweight flans. BB-18 is the only Three Leaves reverse with 14 berries, seven left and seven right.

While the obverse die is shared with BB-16 and BB-17, the reverse die appears only on BB-18 and BB-19. Interestingly, all of the shared varieties (BB-16, BB-17, and BB-19) are extreme Flowing Hair rarities. Only BB-18 is an available representative of either the obverse or reverse die. The coin is struck from an early die state (Bowers Die State I), with two small die flaws at the left ribbon end looking like tiny extensions of the ribbon, both clearly visible under a loupe. The strike drifts ever-so-slightly northeast, with the upper-right dentils a bit thinner but fully formed on each side. The stars are sharp and Liberty's cheek is full. A touch of softness at the hair strands near the ear matches a loss of some feather detail at the eagle's breast and leg, although the strike is otherwise remarkably bold throughout.

Only a few tiny marks and abrasions are observed with a lens. Traces of adjustment marks remain throughout the obverse border, but they do not intrude at any extent into the fields, and the Mintmade file marks are essentially eliminated by strike. The fields are hard, smooth, and partially reflective throughout both sides. The eagle's head, wing, and tail feathers are bold, with the wreath leaves fully brought up. Soft luster glows beneath bluish-gray toning, with gold and iridescent hues enhancing the exceptional surfaces.

This Mint State coin sits just outside the Condition Census for the BB-18 variety. Several of the higher-graded pieces show extensive adjustment marks or other early Mint anomalies. Even the most particular early dollar specialists will find the splendid eye appeal and surface quality of this magnificent 1795 dollar a challenge to exceed. NGC ID# 24WZ, PCGS# 39973 Base PCGS# 6852

1795 Flowing Hair Dollar, MS62 B-2, BB-20, Two Leaves Vibrantly Lustrous Early Dollar



3084 1795 Flowing Hair, Two Leaves, B-2, BB-20, R.3, MS62 PCGS. Bowers Die State II. Among the Two Leaves 1795 Flowing Hair dollars, the B-2, BB-20 die marriage is of moderate scarcity. Compared to the most common Two Leaves variety (B-1, BB-21), BB-20 is seen about one-third as often. An angled die scratch near the inner point of star 4 is the primary pick-up point for BB-20, as is the innermost point of star 1, which pierces the bottom curl.

Nearly all (if not all) BB-20 examples are struck from a lapped obverse die. The left-hand stars are thinner and a bit spindly compared to unlapped stars. The obverse is shared with BB-19, although that usage was extremely limited — just one BB-19 piece has ever been confirmed. The reverse die is in its first use on BB-20, later seen on BB-21 and BB-24.

Like other BB-20 coins, the obverse is sharper than the reverse. The Bowers' *Encyclopedia* notes: "while higher grade pieces will often show excellent hair detail on the obverse, usually the eagle's breast is somewhat flat." So it is on this coin, with bold definition throughout Liberty's hair strands, arranged in six prominent curls. The eagle's torso is weakly struck. Grayish-blue toning with lavender and pale-violet highlights grace the lustrous obverse. The reverse is lightly iridescent with an overall faint-gold sheen, and shows a 35° clockwise rotation compared to the obverse.

The variety is typically seen in Fine to Extra Fine condition, and it is scarce in About Uncirculated grades or finer. This MS62 example flirts with the low end of the Condition Census, listed by Steve Herrman as 65,65,64,64,63,63. The fields are free of most marks, although a number of tiny ticks exist on Liberty's cheek and neck to account for the assigned grade. Cartwheel mint luster flashes brightly from both sides, to a far greater extent than on most Uncirculated Flowing Hair dollars. We expect spirited bidding when this highly lustrous, Mint State early dollar is called. NGC ID# 24WZ, PCGS# 39985 Base PCGS# 6853

1795 Flowing Hair Dollar, XF40 Two Leaves, B-1, BB-21



3085 1795 Flowing Hair, Two Leaves, B-1, BB-21, R.2, XF40 PCGS. CAC. Bowers Die State I, perfect dies. One point of star 1 just touches the curl and the berries are in a 9x10 arrangement in the wreath, identifying the BB-21 variety. The BB-21 is a relatively available variety, but the issue is usually seen in lower grades. Specimens in XF condition are elusive, though not really rare. This impressive XF40 example shows light wear on the high points of the design, but much interior detail remains intact. The pleasing blue-steel surfaces exhibit subtle highlights of sea-green and slategray and only minor abrasions are evident. Population (for the variety): 5 in 40, 18 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24WZ, PCGS# 39986 Base PCGS# 6853

1797 B-1, BB-73 Dollar, XF40 9x7 Stars, Large Letters Advanced Die State



3086 1797 9x7 Stars, Large Letters, B-1, BB-73, R.3, XF40 PCGS. Bowers Die State V. Shortly after Die State IV was struck, the 1797 obverse was removed and replaced by a 1798 obverse, used to strike the 13-Star BB-82 1798 Small Eagle dollars. When done, the reverse die (now Die State V) was remarried with the BB-73 1797 obverse to finish striking the 9x7 Stars, Large Letters coins. Part (or conceivably all) of the B-1, BB-73 1797 dollars were struck in 1798.

This XF BB-73 shows considerable die deterioration on both the obverse and reverse. Heavy die cracks intersect Liberty's bow, and blurry die cracks exist at several locations near the reverse legend. Pre-existing die cracks have intensified in the date area. The date itself remains sharp, as do the wide dentils that surround both obverse and reverse. Areas of grayish-brown toning visit the otherwise silver-gray fields and devices. NGC ID# 24X4, PCGS# 40003 Base PCGS# 6863

1797 Draped Bust Dollar, AU53 9x7 Stars, Large Letters, B-1, BB-73



3087 1797 9x7 Stars, Large Letters, B-1, BB-73, R.3, AU53 PCGS. Bowers Die State V, with a faint die crack through TES in STATES. Mint records indicate only 7,776 Draped Bust dollars were struck in 1797, but it is likely that many 1797-dated coins were struck in 1798, as the Mint was known to keep using serviceable dies until they failed, regardless of calendar year. Three die varieties are known for the date. This coin represents the BB-73 variety, with the stars arranged in a 9x7 array on the obverse and large letters in the reverse legend. The obverse die was used to strike all 1797-dated dollars and the reverse was used to strike the BB-82 variety of 1798. It is likely that all the BB-73 coins were struck in 1798.

The coin offered here is an attractive AU53 specimen that shows only light wear on the strongly impressed design elements. From a late state of the dies, the obverse exhibits an extensive network of die cracks and clash marks. The lightly abraded surfaces retain traces of original mint luster, under streaky shades of lavender-gray toning. Population (for the variety): 2 in 53, 9 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24X4, PCGS# 40003 Base PCGS# 6863

1798 Heraldic Eagle Dollar, AU58 B-27, BB-113, Pointed 9, Close Date



3088 1798 Large Eagle, Pointed 9, Close Date, B-27, BB-113, R.2, AU58 NGC. Bowers Die State II. The 8 in the date leans high and to the right, and the curl under the E in LIBERTY is incomplete from lapping. The reverse shows the leaf pointing between RI in AMERICA and the star left of the eagle's beak (not touching) pointing to the B in PLURIBUS. A die crack travels through through OF in this middle die state. BB-113 is a moderately available variety. It is also one with a relative high survival rate in better grades. This Draped Bust, Heraldic Eagle type coin shows strong detail on the stars and most other peripheral elements. Only the centers are incompletely struck. Dusky multicolor patina frames largely untoned interiors. Overall eye appeal is lovely. NGC ID# 24X6, PCGS# 40030 Base PCGS# 40018

1799 B-8, BB-165 Silver Dollar, AU50 Excellent Type Set Coin





3089 1799 7x6 Stars, B-8, BB-165, R.3, AU50 PCGS. The 1799 B-8, BB-165 silver dollar is one of the most frequently encountered varieties and provides an excellent opportunity to acquire a Draped Bust, Heraldic Eagle silver dollar for a type set. This pleasing AU example has deep gray toning with splashes of light silver and hints of pale blue. NGC ID# 24X7, PCGS# 40056 Base PCGS# 6878

SEATED DOLLARS

1845 Silver Dollar, MS62 Challenging in Mint State Only 24,500 Pieces Struck





3090 1845 MS62 NGC. OC-1, R.2. Osburn-Cushing Die State c/b. A low mintage of just 24,500 pieces makes the 1845 a popular date in the Seated dollar series, and it is rare in any Mint State grade. NGC and PCGS have combined to certify just 38 Uncirculated circulation strikes, nearly half of those in grades less than the current MS62 coin (1/20). A single die pair was used for the entire circulation strike mintage, while at least two other die pairs were utilized to strike a small number of proofs. Die clashing beneath Liberty's elbow defines most circulation strikes.

This is a richly toned MS62 example, with traces of iridescence masked by intense bluish-gray patina throughout both sides. A few small marks dot the glossy fields and devices. Double die clashing confirms the late die state. The strike is sharp, lacking full definition only at Liberty's upper hair strands and the eagle's left (facing) wing top. Census: 4 in 62, 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24YF, PCGS# 6931

1849 Seated Dollar, MS64 Rich Multicolor Patina





3091 1849 MS64 NGC. OC-1, R.1. Osburn-Cushing Die State a/c. The mintage was a moderate 62,600 pieces, and the 1849 ranks at the midpoint of availability among the 47 Seated dollar issues. It becomes rare in Gem Uncirculated condition, making this near-Gem example an optimal opportunity for a high-grade set. Reflective fields and sharply struck devices display a varied palette of blue, peach, and amber-gold colors surrounded by wide, strong rims. Only a handful of minuscule marks are seen on the Choice, attractive surfaces. Census: 20 in 64 (1 in 64+), 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24YL, PCGS# 6936

1854 Seated Liberty Dollar, MS64 Rare in Choice Mint State Resplendent Toning



3092 1854 MS64 PCGS. OC-1, High R.3. Osburn-Cushing Die State b/b. Considered by many to be the rarest Philadelphia Seated dollar after the low-mintage issues of 1851 and 1852, the 1854 was struck at a time when silver dollars functioned as bullion coins, used primarily for foreign trade. Few pieces circulated domestically, and nearly no examples returned from the Orient in any large quantities. Most of the coins were melted when abroad. Reportedly, less than a third of the 33,140 pieces struck were sent to California where a few coins circulated, although most of the California shipment went to China as well.

This Choice Uncirculated example displays a colorful palette of rich, variegated toning. Shades of ruby-red, blue, forest-green, pink, and umber blanket both sides. Mint luster shines as a vibrant interlude beneath the deep, comprehensive patina. A glass reveals a thin abrasion in the field near stars 5 to 7. Otherwise, only a few small, random marks exist on the sharply struck and appealing surfaces. Housed in an old green label holder. PCGS reports just three numerically finer examples plus one MS64+ coin. Population: 7 in 64 (1 in 64+), 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24YT, PCGS# 6942

PROOF SEATED DOLLAR

1867 Seated Dollar, PR64+ Cameo Compelling Contrast and Eye Appeal





3093 1867 PR64+ Cameo PCGS. CAC. OC-P1, Low R.3. Proof Seated dollar production amounted to 625 pieces in 1867, joining a relatively small total of 46,800 circulation strikes. About 425 proofs survive, according to Dick Osburn and Brian Cushing. This Plusdesignated near-Gem is beautifully preserved with black-and-white surfaces. Cameo contrast is pronounced. A thin blush of natural, dusky gold patina graces the the obverse. Population: 26 in 64 (3 in 64+) Cameo, 6 finer in this category. CAC: 9 in 64, 5 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 252N, PCGS# 87015

MORGAN DOLLARS

1878 7/8 Tailfeathers Dollar, MS66 VAM-40, 7/5 TF Strong





3094 1878 7/8TF VAM-40, 7/5 Strong, MS66 NGC. A die gouge off the tip of the lower olive leaf and a V-shaped die scratch below ICA confirm the variety, which shows five tailfeathers clear beneath the primary seven. According to VAMWorld.com, VAM-40 ranks "among the more difficult strong 7/8 tailfeather varieties to locate." This first-year Morgan dollar remains brilliant and impressively preserved with soft cartwheel mint frost. Central design detail is strong. NGC ID# 253H, PCGS# 134037 Base PCGS# 7078

1878 Morgan Dollar, Bright MS67 Seven Tailfeathers, Reverse of 1879





3095 1878 7TF Reverse of 1879 MS67 NGC. The final design type for the first year of Morgan dollar production features a rounded breast, seven tailfeathers, and a slanted top arrow feather instead of a parallel one. Examples are collectible through Gem condition, but the issue becomes conditionally rare at this level. Brightly frosted silver surfaces yield occasional blushes of gold over the portrait and upper reverse. Detail is good despite a slightly incomplete strike, explaining the presence of faint roller marks across each side. Marvelously preserved. Census: 2 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 253L, PCGS# 7076

1879-CC Morgan Dollar, MS65 Elusive Branch Mint Key



3096 1879-CC MS65 NGC. The first real "stopper" in the Morgan dollar series, the 1879-CC is the second-rarest CC-mint Morgan behind the 1889-CC, and is highly elusive in Gem condition. Although more than three-quarters of a million pieces were coined in 1879, as of the current sale (1/20) both NGC and PCGS combined have certified only slightly more than 150 coins in MS65, with six numerically finer at PCGS and two at NGC. Those small totals include an unknown number of resubmissions and crossovers. The present brilliant Gem example offers boldly lustrous surfaces with generous eye appeal. Liberty's cheek is notably clean, and the surfaces elsewhere are equally attractive. Census: 44 in 65 (4 in 65+, 1 in 65★), 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 253U, PCGS# 7086

1879-CC Morgan Dollar, MS63 Deep Mirror Prooflike Example, VAM-3



3097 1879-CC Capped Die, VAM-3, MS63 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. A Top 100 Variety. Commercial agreements between mining interests and railroad magnates made it cheaper to ship silver from the Comstock Lode to the San Francisco Mint for coinage than it was to haul the metal overland the short distance to the Carson City Mint in 1879. Accordingly, deposits at the Carson City facility were small, resulting in a tiny mintage of only 756,000 Morgan dollars that year. The 1879 is the first really scarce Carson City Morgan and the issue is an important key in the series.

Like many 1879-CC Morgan dollars, this impressive MS63 example shows the remnants of a partially effaced CC beneath the primary mintmark. This feature identifies the popular VAM-3, or Capped Die, variety. This lightly marked Select specimen displays well-detailed, frosty design elements, with just a touch of softness on the hair above the ear. The fields exhibit much prooflike reflectivity, with outstanding eye appeal. Population: 4 in 63 Deep Mirror Prooflike, 5 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 253T, PCGS# 40777 Base PCGS# 97089

1879-CC VAM-3 Silver Dollar MS64 Deep Mirror Prooflike

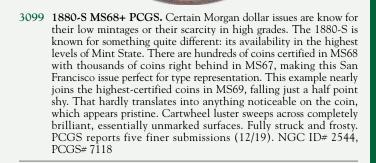




3098 1879-CC Capped Die, VAM-3, MS64 Deep Mirror Prooflike NGC. A Top 100 Variety. The 1879-CC Capped Die variety, identified as VAM-3, is more properly described as Large Mintmark over Small Mintmark, or Large CC over Small CC. However, the "Capped Die" nomenclature has become numismatic tradition. The online VamWorld reference notes that Art Kagin discovered the reverse in October 1962. This extraordinary Choice Deep Prooflike Mint State silver dollar has deeply and fully mirrored fields that contrast with its satiny devices. Both sides are brilliant and untoned. VAM-3 Capped CC Census: 9 in 64 Deep Mirror Prooflike, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 253T, PCGS# 40777 Base PCGS# 97089

1880-S Morgan Dollar, MS68+ Essentially Pristine, Frosty Type Coin





1884-S Silver Dollar, MS62 Scarcely Seen So Well-Preserved





3100 1884-S MS62 PCGS. Ex: The Michigan Collection. The 1884-S is one of the great condition rarities in the Morgan dollar series. While the original mintage was more than 3 million coins, nearly all entered circulation, with just a handful preserved in high grades. There were few collectors in San Francisco at the time, and Eastern collectors were generally uninterested in ordering coins from the branch mints before Augustus Heaton wrote his treatise on mintmarks in 1893. A few bags remained in storage as late as the 1950s, but there was no quantity of 1884-S dollars paid out during the Treasury release of the early 1960s. This softly frosted Mint State dollar is one of the few that have survived. It is essentially fully brilliant, with a hint of gossamer-gold toning on either side. The strike is typical with slight central indistinctness. Surface marks are minimal, confined primarily to the partially reflective fields. Ex: Karschner Collection of Morgan Dollars / FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2011), lot 5656; The Bowler Collection of Morgan Dollars/ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2016), lot 4216. NGC ID# 254P, PCGS# 7156

1884-S Morgan Dollar, MS62 Exceptional for the Grade





3101 1884-S MS62 PCGS. CAC. At the MS62 grade, this 1884-S Morgan dollar is quite spectacular. Incredibly radiant cartwheel luster reveals no major abrasions, and a loupe uncovers only light handling marks on the cheek and in the field. Warm golden toning on each side adds to the eye appeal. This is a well-struck coin, deservedly CAC endorsed. Quality such as this for the MS62 grade level is rarely seen on any Morgan dollar. It is especially significant for this coin since it is an 1884-S, a semikey date that is elusive in this grade regardless of eye appeal. Finer 1884-S dollars are scarce and may be out of reach for many collectors. The CAC endorsement is rarely seen on any Mint State 1884-S Morgan. CAC: 10 in 62, 13 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 254P, PCGS# 7156

1884-S Silver Dollar, MS63 Reflective Obverse Fields





3102 1884-S MS63 PCGS. With a mintage of 3.2 million pieces, the 1884-S Morgan dollar does little to distinguish itself in lower circulated grades. This issue begins to command a premium in the XF and AU grades. There is a steeply diminished population in the AU grade ranges, with an accordingly steep increase in market values. At the Select Mint State grade level, the 1884-S is a borderline condition rarity, while Choice Mint State and finer pieces are extremely rare.

The obverse has distinct reflectivity under the light gold-to-gray toning with blue and sage border toning splashes on both sides. The reverse has more traditional cartwheel luster that is equally vibrant. Liberty's lightly frosted portrait shows a few abrasions, including a short line of shallow reed marks on the cheek and a hidden hairline just southeast of the nose, but this coin retains strong eye appeal at every angle. Population: 59 in 63 (6 in 63+), 15 finer (12/19). Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2013), lot 4368.

From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 254P, PCGS# 7156

1887/6 Morgan Dollar, MS66+ VAM-2, Registry Set Essential





3103 1887/6 VAM-2 MS66+ PCGS. A Top 100 Variety. More than 20 million Morgan dollars were struck at the Philadelphia Mint in 1887, the largest pre-1921 production of the series. A small portion of the mintage was struck from an overdated obverse die that shows the remnants of an undertype 6 on either side of the 7 in the date. The overdated die probably struck about 350,000 pieces of the reported mintage, but no official mintage figures were recorded.

This Plus-graded Premium Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout and the virtually flawless brilliant surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides, creating outstanding eye appeal. This coin should find a home in the finest collection or Registry Set. Population: 16 in 66 (2 in 66+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2552, PCGS# 133908 Base PCGS# 7174

1887/6 Morgan Dollar, MS66 Prooflike Popular *Guide Book* Overdate, VAM-2



3104 1887/6 VAM-2 MS66 Prooflike PCGS. A Top 100 Variety. Ex: Jack Lee, Part II. The remnants of an undertype 6 are visible on either side of the 7 at the bottom of the primary digit, identifying this popular *Guide Book* overdate. The Philadelphia Mint produced a staggering total of more than 20 million Morgan dollars in 1887, using 55 obverse dies to strike the coins. Only one obverse die is known with the overdate feature, so we assume the VAM-2 mintage was a tiny fraction of the reported production.

The present coin is a spectacular Premium Gem, with well-detailed design elements that show just a trace of blending on the hair above the ear. The well-preserved, brilliant surfaces show a mix of vibrant frosty mint luster on the devices and prooflike reflectivity in the fields. Eye appeal is terrific. Population: 5 in 66 Prooflike, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 254Z, PCGS# 42842 Base PCGS# 7175

1887 Silver Dollar, MS68 Tied for the Finest Certified





3105 1887 MS68 NGC. Just seven submissions of 1887 Morgan dollars have earned the MS68 grade at NGC and PCGS, and none are numerically finer. This nicely defined example has impressive silver luster on its brilliant, untoned surfaces. Careful examination reveals delicate die cracks and clash marks on both sides. Census: 6 in 68 (1 in 68★), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 27Y3, PCGS# 7172

1889 Silver Dollar, MS67 Lovely Iridescent Toning





3106 1889 MS67 NGC. The 1889 Morgan dollar had the highest mintage of any issue struck from 1878 to 1904, yet it is an important condition rarity that is seldom encountered in grades finer than MS65, and rarely finer than MS66. This MS67 is tied for the finest that NGC has examined.

Both sides of this nicely toned example display rich blue, gold, and iridescent toning. A full complement of mint luster shines through the toning of this Superb Gem. The strike is above average for this issue that is typically found with poor design definition. Census: 5 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2558, PCGS# 7188

1889-CC Morgan Dollar, Unc Details Carson City Key





3107 1889-CC — Cleaned — NGC Details. Unc. The 1889-CC Morgan dollar claims a small mintage of 350,000 pieces and few examples were saved by contemporary collectors, making the 1889-CC the most elusive issue of the Carson City series. This well-detailed example exhibits just a trace of blending on the hair above the ear, but most of the devices are sharply rendered. The lightly marked surfaces are blanketed in shades of greenish-gray and lilac toning, with a somewhat flat aspect that indicates a light cleaning in the past.

1889-CC Dollar, Well-Struck MS62 A Key Date in the Series





3108 1889-CC MS62 PCGS. Many thousands of the 350,000 Morgan dollars coined at the Carson City Mint in 1889 were paid out in the 19th century, yielding a relatively plentiful supply of circulated examples for collectors today. At the same time, however, Rusty Goe writes in his *Mint on Carson Street* that approximately 250,000 to 325,000 1889-CC silver dollars were eventually melted, securing this date as one of the keys to a set of Morgan dollars. PCGS and NGC have certified about 9,600 specimens in all grades, roughly 1,000 of which are in Mint State.

The lustrous, silvery surfaces of this MS62 specimen display mild field-motif contrast on the reverse. The design elements exhibit an above-average strike, including strong detail in the hair above Liberty's ear and the eagle's breast feathers. A few minute marks determine the grade.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2014), lot 5323. NGC ID# 2559, PCGS# 7190

1889-CC Morgan Dollar, MS64 Wonderful Surface Preservation An Important Key Date in the Series



3109 1889-CC MS64 PCGS. This near-Gem 1889-CC Morgan dollar presents an important opportunity of which series specialists are undoubtedly aware; even nonspecialists are familiar with the rarity of the 1889-CC as a date. Nearly all of the 350,000 coins originally minted were released into circulation, where they remained for a long time. Today, those that have survived are usually found in well-worn condition. Existing Mint State coins survived the early years purely as a matter of chance. A few others may have been set aside as a remembrance of some special occasion. Whatever the reason, the number of pieces saved was certainly small. Today, collectors must thank those unknown past custodians.

The present coin has been carefully preserved for nearly 120 years since the time it was minted. The surfaces retain their full reflective luster, just shy of prooflike status. The reverse exhibits a suggestion of cameo contrast between the fields and devices. The strike was a powerful one, producing exceptionally sharp design motifs on both sides. Pale champagne toning prevails overall, complementing splashes of golden-brown, russet, and cobalt-blue largely concentrated near the borders. Population: 32 in 64, 2 finer (12/19). There are no Prooflike or Deep Mirror Prooflike examples reported finer at PCGS, making only two numerically finer-graded coins than this piece: one MS65 and the incredible ex: Jack Lee MS68 coin.

Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2008), lot 2362; Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2016), lot 4713.

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1889-CC Morgan Dollar, MS63 Elusive Prooflike Example





3110 1889-CC MS63 Prooflike PCGS. The Carson City Mint was reactivated (after a three-year hiatus) in July of 1889. Unfortunately, the facility required extensive repairs to the physical plant and new personnel needed to be hired. As a result, the Mint did not commence coinage operations until October 10. In the short period remaining before the end of the year, only 350,000 Morgan dollars were produced and relatively few have survived with prooflike surfaces.

This impressive Select specimen exhibits sharply detailed, frosty design elements and lightly marked surfaces that include reflective prooflike fields. A few subtle hints of mauve and lavender patina are visible at selected angles. This piece is an attractive example of the most elusive Morgan dollar from the Carson City Mint. Population: 36 in 63 (3 in 63+) Prooflike, 9 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2559, PCGS# 7191

1891-CC Silver Dollar, MS66+ Important Condition Rarity



3111 1891-CC MS66+ PCGS. The GSA sales of the 1970s yielded only a little more than 5,600 examples of this later Carson City issue, and most of those coins exhibited various bagmarks, grading no finer than MS64 today. In fact, the 1891-CC Morgan dollar is plentiful through MS64, while MS65 pieces are also occasionally seen. Where this issue becomes scarce is in MS66, where just a few dozen pieces survive. With a Plus designation, this coin is among an elite minority of Premium Gems that will appeal the strongest to Registry collectors. Including a Prooflike piece, PCGS has seen only two coins that graded finer than the present.

This example is brilliant and boldly struck. The fields are sufficiently mirrored to produce a modest cameo appearance on each side, and only a few trivial marks are seen. Population: 49 in 66 (9 in 66+), 1 finer; 1 in 66 Prooflike, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 255H, PCGS# 7206

1892-S Silver Dollar, MS63 Consistent Monthly Production





3112 1892-S MS63 PCGS. Mint records for the 1892-S Morgan dollar reveal a total production of 1.2 million coins. The interesting fact about the production is those records revealing that 100,000 silver dollars were coined each month of 1892 at the San Francisco Mint. Most of those coins apparently entered circulation while a small quantity may have been stored at the Mint. Little numismatic press covered the event when one bag of these coins was paid out in the mid 1920s. There were apparently no bags of Mint State 1892-S dollars remaining in government vaults after the 1930s.

Many years ago, when collectors sought to form complete sets with little regard to quality. An AU coin would nicely fill the space in the coin album rather than a much more expensive Mint State example. As a result, the few true Mint State pieces often failed to find a permanent home. That is not the case today, as demand has shifted to the finest possible examples of any date or mintmark combination, the 1892-S included.

This attractive example has hints of pale gold toning over its brilliant and satiny silver surfaces. Minor surface scraping is evident on Liberty's jaw and neck. Otherwise, the surfaces are exceptional and would qualify for a higher numerical grade. This important piece would fill the spot in a Gem set of Morgan silver dollars at a much lower price. Population: 6 in 63, 25 finer (12/19).

From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 255P, PCGS# 7218

1893-CC Morgan Dollar, MS63+ Popular Final-Year Issue



3113 1893-CC MS63+ PCGS. The 1893-CC Morgan dollar is always popular because of its status as the final issue from he famous Carson City Mint and its low mintage of 677,000 pieces. This Plus-graded Select specimen exhibits well-detailed design elements, with just a touch of blending on the hair strands above Liberty's ear. The lightly marked brilliant surfaces show a mix of vibrant, satiny mint luster and prooflike reflectivity in the fields. Eye appeal is outstanding. NGC ID# 255S, PCGS# 7222

1893-O Silver Dollar, MS64+ Subtly Reflective Fields Challenging in High Grade



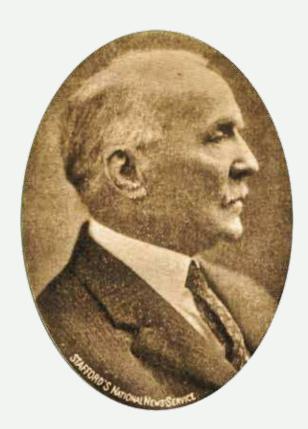
3114 1893-O MS64+ PCGS. This New Orleans issue claims a mintage of only 300,000 coins, making it a semikey in all grades and a condition key in Gem Mint State. Fewer than a dozen Gem examples are known. The 1893-O is almost never seen in Prooflike or Deep Prooflike grades, making attractive lustrous coin the best option for most collectors. This piece, Plus graded in near-Gem condition, is about as high-end as most enthusiasts can hope to acquire of this issue. Luster is brilliant and frosty, yielding subtle reflectivity in the fields. Only light grazes on the obverse limit the grade. Most Morgan dollars struck at New Orleans during the 1890s are deficiently detailed in the centers, but while this piece is weak in that location, it is not distractingly so. PCGS lists nine higher-grade examples, including a trio of Prooflike and Deep Mirror Prooflike coins (1/20). NGC ID# 255T, PCGS# 7224

1893-S Dollar, Choice XF High-End Collector-Grade Example





3115 1893-S XF45 NGC. Generally stone-gray surfaces exhibit a few splashes of steel patina on the obverse and gold accents around the reverse devices. A normal amount of high-point blending occurs over the ear and breast, but this Choice XF 1893-S dollar is strongly defined for the issue with far better eye appeal than the typical survivor. Examples of the famous 1893-S become prohibitive in AU and above. NGC ID# 255U, PCGS# 7226



1893-S Morgan Dollar, AU50 Series-Low Mintage





3116 1893-S AU50 NGC. The 1893-S Morgan dollar is the business-strike key to the series, due to its memorably low mintage of 100,000 pieces. As the effects of the Panic of 1893 spread throughout the national economy, the Sherman Silver Purchase Act was repealed, releasing the Mint from its requirement to produce vast quantities of unwanted silver dollars every year. Most of the small mintage was either released into circulation or melted in 1918, making the issue especially elusive in high grade today.

This impressive AU50 specimen exhibits only light wear on

This impressive AU50 specimen exhibits only light wear on the well-detailed design elements and the lightly abraded surfaces retain traces of original mint luster in sheltered areas. A few hints of lavender-gray toning are visible at certain angles. The overall presentation is quite attractive for this important series key. NGC

ÎD# 255U, PCGS# 7226

1893-S Silver Dollar, AU55 Uniform Steel-Gray Surfaces





3117 1893-S AU55 PCGS. The 1893-S Morgan dollar is easily obtainable in middle to lower circulated grades, as much of the 100,000-coin mintage was paid out into circulation in the 19th century, but this same factor contributes to its status as one of the rarest dates in the series in high grades, a long-recognized fact with the end result that the 1893-S is widely considered the biggest key date in the series. This Choice AU representative displays just a hint of light golden color over steel-gray surfaces that retain remnants of mint luster in the recesses. The strike is well-executed, with only trivial wear over the high points of the design. A finer example of this sought-after key issue will prove challenging to locate and substantially more costly to acquire. Population: 44 in 55 (1 in 55+), 52 finer (12/19).

Ex: Collection of Edwin J. Mantooth Bowers / Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2015), lot 5173.

From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 255U, PCGS# 7226

1893-S Morgan Dollar, AU55 Low-Mintage Series Key





3118 1893-S AU55 PCGS. The effects of the Panic of 1893 included the repeal of the Sherman Silver Purchase Act, ending the massive mandated coinage of Morgan dollars the U.S. Mint was required to produce every year. Morgan dollar mintages were drastically reduced at all U.S. Mints in 1893, and the San Francisco Mint produced a series low business-strike mintage of just 100,000 pieces. Most of the small mintage was either widely circulated or melted in 1918, under the provisions of the Pittman Act. Accordingly, the 1893-S is the most elusive Morgan dollar in today's market.

This impressive Choice AU specimen displays only light wear on the well-detailed design elements and the lightly abraded surfaces retain much original mint luster in sheltered areas. Highlights of sea-green and cobalt-blue toning enhance the peripheries. This coin should find a home in a fine collection of Morgan dollars. NGC ID# 255U, PCGS# 7226

1893-S Morgan Dollar, MS62 The Series Key An Absolute and Condition Rarity



3119 1893-S MS62 NGC. From a series-low circulation strike mintage of 100,000 pieces, the 1893-S Morgan dollar remains in strong demand, regardless of grade or market fluctuations. Most of the small mintage was released into commerce at the time of issue, although some examples held in government storage were undoubtedly lost to massive melting of silver dollars under provisions of the 1918 Pittman Act. Today, the vast majority of 1893-S survivors run the gamut from Fair to About Uncirculated condition, with only about 12,000 gradable examples estimated to survive in all grades.

Understandably, the 1893-S was virtually absent in the Treasury releases of the early 1960s, and the issue is definitively rare in Mint State grades as a result. Most of the Uncirculated examples yield from a single hoard of about two dozen Uncirculated 1893-S pieces, found mixed in with a bag of freshly minted 1894-S dollars. The bag was likely packaged early in 1894, with the '93-S coins included as leftovers from the previous year's dies. The bag that was eventually acquired from a Montana bank more than 50 years ago, and the surprising 1893-S pieces it miraculously harbored have long since been dispersed.

Q. David Bowers correctly notes "there are more 1895 dollars in existence in Proof-60 or better grade than there are 1893-S dollars in MS-60 or better preservation," leaving little doubt about the most challenging of all Morgan dollars to acquire in Mint condition. We handle no more than two to five Uncirculated 1893-S dollars in any single year, and often more than a year goes by without a single offering.

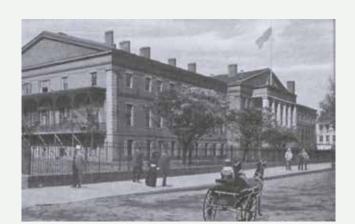
This pleasing MS62 specimen displays sharply defined design elements and minimally marked surfaces. Liberty's cheek and neck are unmarked. The fields are partially reflective and almost as unblemished as Liberty's cheek. A few delicate hairlines reside beneath an attractive dappling of bluish-gray toning, perhaps the sole grade-limiting factor given the coin's overall surface quality and eye appeal. This 1893-S will be a welcome addition to any high-grade set of Morgan dollars, and there will be no shortage of bidders vying to place it as the capstone of their collection. Census: 7 in 62, 15 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 255U, PCGS# 7226

1895-O Silver Dollar, MS61 Challenging O-Mint Issue





3120 1895-O MS61 ANACS. VAM-3. Housed in an early generation ANACS holder, this mostly brilliant and minimally marked 1895-O displays an uncommonly sharp strike and strong silver luster. A tinge of gold toning visits the lower reverse margin and appears as just a delicate hint of gold at the upper obverse fields, yet the coin is otherwise starkly silver. The flag of 5 is recut north, a common VAM variety for this scarce New Orleans issue. Just 450,000 pieces were struck. NGC ID# 255Y, PCGS# 7236



1895-O Dollar, MS62 Remarkably Bright and Lustrous





3121 1895-O MS62 PCGS. The 1895-O is a low-mintage issue that is popular regardless of grade. In well-worn condition, there are sufficient examples to meet most of the demand, and even in the better circulated grades, coins are usually available for a price. By the MS62 level, however, the 1895-O is genuinely scarce, and anything finer is a condition rarity. This is an attractive coin for the MS62 level, lightly gold-toned with uncommonly strong luster and a decent strike. While a few shallow abrasions are present by Liberty's mouth and wispy abrasions populate gold-touched fields, this is a coin the vast majority of Morgan dollar collectors would be proud to own. Population: 54 in 62 (4 in 62+), 47 finer (1/20). From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 255Y, PCGS# 7236

1895-S Silver Dollar, MS65 Seldom Seen Gem or Finer Grades



3122 1895-S MS65 PCGS. An exceptionally appealing example of this scarce, semikey San Francisco issue. A brilliant-silver Gem Uncirculated coin, it exhibits few disruptions in the luster, and displays a degree of semiprooflike reflectivity in the fields. The mere suggestion of light golden color visits the reverse, although most would call the coin white throughout. As usual for a '95-S, the strike is a trifle soft on the eagle's breast and the hair above Liberty's ear. The 1895-S is a significant condition rarity in the finer Mint State grades, and it is particularly elusive above the Choice level. PCGS has certified only 4 examples numerically finer than the present coin, plus six more coins certified MS65+ (1/20). NGC ID# 255Z, PCGS# 7238

1896-O Dollar, MS63+ High-End With Few Finer



3123 1896-O MS63+ PCGS. The 1896-O was not a well-produced issue. Most Mint State survivors, which typically fall within the MS61-MS62 range, show poor strike definition and subdued, lackluster surfaces. This brilliant, high-end Select Uncirculated representative is satiny and attractive with surprisingly strong detail above Liberty's ear and on the eagle's breast. Abrasions, too, are impressively scant for this elusive New Orleans issue. Only 34 submissions are graded higher at PCGS (1/20). NGC ID# 27ZU, PCGS# 7242

1896-O Silver Dollar, MS64 Important Condition Rarity





3124 1896-O MS64 PCGS. Following the lean production years of 1893 through 1895 when the New Orleans Mint produced an annual average of 825,000 Morgan silver dollars, production dramatically increased to 4.9 million pieces in 1896, remaining at those levels for two more years, before increasing again in 1899. A large percentage of 1896-O silver dollars apparently entered circulation as this issue has an average certified grade of just AU53 and only a few bags of 1896-O dollas were released from the Treasury in the 1950s and early 1960s. Those Treasury Hoard coins are apt to grade no higher than MS62.

This Choice Mint State piece grabs the viewer's attention with its frosty, snow-white surfaces and splashes of delicate lavender toning at the upper right obverse and lower right reverse. A few faint hairlines limit the grade. The strike is a trifle indistinct in the usual places: over Liberty's ear on the obverse and the eagle's breast feathers on the reverse. The finest PCGS-certified Prooflike and Deep Mirror Prooflike examples grade just MS62, while regular strikes find only three higher graded PCGS coins. Population: 31 in 64, 3 finer (12/19).

From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 27ZU, PCGS# 7242

1900-O/CC Dollar, MS67 A Top 100 Variety Tied for Finest Known O/CC at NGC





3125 1900-O/CC VAM-11 MS67 NGC. A Top 100 Variety. In 1900, the Philadelphia Mint forwarded several unused Carson City dies to New Orleans. The CC mintmark was corrected to the proper O mintmark, but not fully effaced and still visible beneath the primary mark. As the final vestige of the famous Carson City Mint's historic past, the 1900-O/CC is prized by Carson City specialists and Morgan dollar enthusiasts alike.

This is a Superb Gem example of the popular VAM-11 overmintmark. Remnants of both Cs remain outside the O mintmark, which was entered high and shifted left to obscure the previous mark. Diagnostic die cracks confirm the variety, as does a threadlike die line in the lower cap above the hair ribbon. The surfaces of this MS67 are virtually free of marks, with light silver-gray toning and vibrant silver luster throughout both sides. The strike is sharp throughout. We have never offered a finer example. Census (all O/CC varieties): 2 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 256J, PCGS# 133963 Base PCGS# 7268

1903 Dollar, MS67+ Finest at PCGS and CAC





3126 1903 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. This mint-fresh Superb Gem shows only the slightest sign of softness on the eagle's breast. Liberty's cheek is nearly immaculate. Frosty mint luster rolls over all-brilliant surfaces, delivering tremendous eye appeal. This is one of 16 Plus-Graded MS67 submissions at PCGS, with none certified finer at that service. It also ranks among the top examples with a CAC approval sticker (1/20). NGC ID# 256R, PCGS# 7284

1921 Morgan Dollar, MS67+ Colorfully Toned Registry Coin The Sole Finest at NGC



3127 1921 MS67+ NGC. The most common date in the series as a whole, the 1921 Morgan dollar becomes a major condition rarity at the Superb Gem grade level. NGC lists only 14 coins this fine, including a lone Prooflike example, with none in higher grades. These pieces are highly sought-after by Registry collectors.

The present example is the only MS67 at NGC with a Plus designation. Vivid rainbow toning graces the obverse, while the reverse displays pastel color overall. Strike sharpness is above average — only a few clusters of leaves on the reverse wreath show weakness. Preservation is equally impressive, with only a single mark on Liberty's cheek denying an even finer grade. Census: 13 in 67 (1 in 67+, 1 in 67★), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 256X, PCGS# 7296

PROOF MORGAN DOLLARS

1878 Morgan Dollar, PR66+ 8 Tail Feathers





3128 1878 8TF PR66+ NGC. VAM-14.8. A slanting spike from Liberty's eye identifies the elusive VAM-14-8. Only 500 proof Morgan dollars were struck with the 8 Tail Feathers reverse in 1878. That small mintage was accomplished using two pairs of dies classified as VAM-14.3 and VAM-14.8. VAM-14.8 seems to be especially elusive. The dies were later used to strike business-strikes.

This Plus-graded Premium Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements and deeply mirrored fields, under vivid shades of lavender-gray, sea-green, and cerulean-blue toning. The surfaces are impeccably preserved and overall eye appeal is fantastic. The 1878 Morgan dollar is always popular as the first year of the design. Census: 9 in 66 (1 in 66+), 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2572, PCGS# 7311

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1890 Morgan Dollar, PR67 CAC Approved Cameo Example



3129 1890 PR67 Cameo PCGS. CAC. Only 590 proof Morgan dollars were struck in 1890, the lowest yearly proof production of the series. Fortunately, the coins were well-produced and speculators seem to have saved a number of high-quality examples for present-day collectors to enjoy. This stunning Superb Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements, with a rich coat of mint frost that creates bold cameo contrast with the deeply mirrored fields. The brilliant surfaces are impeccably preserved and overall eye appeal is tremendous. This coin will be a welcome addition to the finest collection or Registry Set. Population: 6 in 67 Cameo, 1 finer. CAC: 2 in 67, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 27ZK, PCGS# 87325

1895 Morgan Dollar, PR55 No Business Strikes Known





3130 1895 PR55 PCGS. Mint records indicate 880 proof Morgan dollars were struck in 1895, to accompany a tiny business-strike mintage of 12,000 pieces. Unfortunately, none of the regular-issue coins have ever surfaced in any collection, leaving collectors to wonder if the mintage figures represent some kind of accounting error, or if the coins were held in government storage until 1918 and melted under the provisions of the Pittman Act. In either case, date collectors have always relied on the small supply of proofs to fill this whole in their collections and the 1895 has often been called the "King of the Morgan dollars." This lightly circulated proof shows just a touch of wear on the sharply detailed design elements and the fields are brightly reflective in sheltered areas, around the devices. Only minor abrasions are evident.

From The McDonald Family Collection. NGC ID# 27ZR, PCGS# 7330

1895 Silver Dollar, PR64 King of the Morgan Dollars



3131 1895 PR64 PCGS. The 1893-S and the 1895 proof silver dollars have always been the keys to the Morgan dollar series. With its proof-only mintage of 880 pieces, the 1895 proof issue has been deservedly called "The King of the Morgan Dollars." Demand is always strong when any example is offered at auction.

Controversy has always surrounded the business strike mintage of 1895 Morgan silver dollars. Mint records indicate 12,000 coins were produced for circulation, but numismatists have never been able to locate a single example. Distinguished researchers, such as Q. David Bowers and Roger Burdette, have advanced plausible explanations for the disappearance of the entire mintage of this date, with accounting errors and melting under the Pittman Act being the most convincing hypotheses. Unfortunately, in spite of the ingenious ideas and well-documented research that has been put forth, no real consensus has been reached about the disposition of these coins. Their fate remains a mystery.

What is not in doubt is the effect the disappearance of the business strikes has had on the proof mintage of 880 pieces. The situation was brought to the attention of the numismatic community early on. In *The Numismatist* June 1898 issue, George W. Rice warned collectors that 1895 silver dollars were only available in proof sets. The special status of the 1895 proof dollars became widely known, and while collectors might part with other proof issues during hard times, very few 1895 Morgan dollars have been willingly disposed of. Experts estimate a surviving population of approximately 700 examples, or 79.5%, an extremely high survival rate for any coin.

The present coin is a strongly struck example that once must have had significant cameo contrast, though each side now shows rich golden-tan color. Well-defined central devices show significant frostiness through the toning. A few modest hairlines visible beneath the patina account for the grade, though the coin's visual appeal is largely unaffected by these flaws. A highly desirable piece that should see strong bidding action. Population: 59 in 64 (1 in 64+), 40 finer (12/19).

Ex: Joseph C. Thomas Collection / Central States Signature (Heritage, 4-5/2009), lot 2639.

From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 27ZR, PCGS# 7330

PEACE DOLLARS

1924 Peace Dollar, MS67 Thick, Frosted Mint Luster





3132 1924 MS67 PCGS. CAC. For a 20th century type coin that was made in substantial numbers (as a rule), Peace dollars are remarkably difficult to locate in Superb condition. The mint luster on this piece is its hallmark, thick and frosted, rolling around each side unimpeded by the usually seen abrasions. The strike is strong throughout. All-in-all this is a wonderful coin for type purposes. Population: 45 in 67 (1 in 67+), 1 finer. CAC: 25 in 67, 1 finer (1/70)

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2013), lot 6687. NGC ID# 257J, PCGS# 7363

1934-S Peace Dollar, MS65 Elusive Any Finer





3133 1934-S MS65 PCGS. CAC. From a mintage of just over 1 million pieces, the 1934-S Peace dollar is the most elusive issue of the series in high grade. This delightful Gem exhibits well-detailed design elements, with just a trace of the usual softness on Liberty's curls. The well-preserved surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster, with subtle highlights of golden-tan toning. PCGS has graded 32 coins in MS65+ and 38 numerically finer examples. CAC: 58 in 65, 13 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 257Z, PCGS# 7377

1934-S Peace Dollar, Lustrous MS65+ Key to the Series in High Grade





3134 1934-S MS65+ PCGS. CAC. When minted, the 1934-S was promptly released into circulation, and seemingly was an available issue. Only when Uncirculated coins proved challenging to find was the 1934-S viewed as a high-grade scarcity. Its mintage was on the low side (just over 1 million pieces were struck), and now it is confirmed as the rarest Peace dollar in grades above MS60.

While many 1934-S examples display different degrees of golden-tan toning, this Plus-graded example with CAC endorsement is brightly lustrous beneath only a freckling of palegold patina. A sharp strike adds to the plentiful eye appeal. Marks are limited to only a few tiny nicks on each side. Population: 32 in 65+, 37 finer. CAC: 58 in 65, 13 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 257Z, PCGS# 7377

PROOF PEACE DOLLAR

ERRORS

1921 Satin Proof Peace Dollar, PR62 VAM-1H, Earliest Coinage of the Type





3135 1921 Satin PR62 NGC. VAM-1H. Myriad swirling die polish lines in the fields identify the satin proof dies for this issue, and the uncharacteristically sharp design definition and crisp border legends earn this piece satin proof classification. Roger Burdette, in A Guide Book of Peace Dollars, notes that satin and sandblast finish proofs were struck in late December 1921, just before commercial production began. The satin finish dies were continued in use for circulation coinage for a brief time after striking the initial run of proofs. Burdette estimates that three or four satin proofs were struck from these dies, along with five to eight additional coins that received a sandblast finish. The NGC certified population of 20 coins may very well be inflated by resubmissions. We are aware of at least a few coins that have been reholdered or regraded over the last couple of decades.

The present example displays all of the diagnostics of a satin proof High Relief Peace dollar. The surfaces yield light amber toning, with additional tinges of blue and violet evident along the lower reverse border. A few faint hairlines on Liberty's cheek (probably from the sliding plastic sleeve of an old album) prevent a finer grade. Census: 4 in 62, 16 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2UAU, PCGS# 7382

1943 Lincoln Cent, MS65 Struck on a Silver Dime Blank



3136 1943 Lincoln Cent — Struck on a Dime Blank — MS65 NGC.
2.5 grams. This delightful Gem exhibits sharply detailed central design elements, with fine definition on Lincoln's hair and the wheat stalks. The well-preserved brilliant surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides. The strike is well-centered, although the small-diameter dime planchet is not fully struck up at the borders, where IN GOD WE TRUST blends into the rim. The overall presentation is most attractive for this interesting wrong planchet error that will appeal especially to collectors of the rare 1943 copper cents. Housed in an NGC holder commemorating the Guide Book and signed by Ken Bressett.

1976-D Eisenhower Dollar, MS62 Reverse Mirror Brockage, 5% Off Center





3137 1976-D Type One Eisenhower Dollar — Reverse Mirror Brockage, 5% Off Center — MS62 NGC. To summarize, a brockage occurs when a previously struck coin is jammed between the dies and strikes a second, reversed impression on the next coin. On this piece, the devices on each side are only 5% off center, so just the tops of the letters of LIBERTY are missing. The brockage side is well-defined, and most of the struck side is as well, except for the date(s). This is a rare type to locate with a brockage, and it appears to be the first we have offered. Its rarity is further limited by the Bicentennial type. The surfaces are brilliant throughout and there are a number of small, wispy abrasions that account for the grade.

1999-P Susan B. Anthony Dollar, MS65 Struck on a Sacagawea Planchet





3138 1999-P Anthony Dollar — Struck on a Sacagawea Planchet — MS65 PCGS. As the Philadelphia Mint began advance preparations to strike Sacagawea dollars in 2000, planchets were produced in 1999. At the same time, Susan B. Anthony dollars remained in production. A small number of the manganese brass planchets accidentally found their way to the press striking SBA dollars, and these errors were produced. This Gem exhibits the brilliant golden-orange appearance of high quality Sacagawea dollars. The strike is a trifle soft due to the composition as the coining press was not set up to receive those planchets. Scattered marks are evident on both sides, consistent with the grade.

EARLY PROOF SETS

1865 Nine-Piece Proof Set, PR63-PR66 All NGC-Certified



3139 1865 Nine-Piece Proof Set, PR63-PR66 NGC. All nine coins from this historic year are NGC-certified and sequentially numbered. Included are:

Cent PR63 Brown. Streaks of deep blue and brown are seen over each side. Almost carbon-free.

Two Cent Piece PR66 Red and Brown. Picky, picky. The reverse is mellowed ever-so-slightly; otherwise the coin appears full red. Deeply mirrored.

Three Cent Silver PR65. The brightly reflective fields serve to enliven the rose and cobalt-blue toning seen on each side, which is deeper in hue toward the margins.

Three Cent Nickel PR65. Pale pink and ice-blue patina is just barely noticeable. An attractive, although shallowly mirrored proof.

Half Dime PR64 Cameo. The interiors are nearly brilliant and the margins on each side are surrounded by medium density golden-rose toning. Nicely contrasted.

Dime PR64. Brightly mirrored with attractive toning around the margins. Noticeable contrast is evident on each side.

Quarter PR65 Cameo. Rich red and cobalt-blue toning dominate the reverse, while the obverse shows an almost brilliant center with toning around the margin. Well-contrasted.

Half Dollar PR63. A few light hairlines explain the grade. Otherwise the surfaces are mostly untoned with a slight haze in the fields. Light toning is scattered around the peripheries.

Dollar PR64. The fields show evidence of vigorous die polishing that give an unfathomable depth of reflectivity to each side. The obverse shows blue-gray patina while the reverse is rose-golden. (Total: 9 coins)

1896 Six-Piece Proof Set, PR64-PR67 All PCGS-Certified



3140 1896 Six-Piece Proof Set, PR64-PR67 PCGS. All six coins are PCGS-certified and sequentially numbered. Included are:

Cent PR64 Red and Brown. The obverse is pale yellow-tan, while the reverse is reddish-brown.

Nickel PR65 Cameo. The obverse is brilliant and the reverse shows just a hint of light patina. Each side displays equally strong field-device contrast.

Dime PR66. Attractive golden-rose toning is seen on the obverse with muted steel-blue over the reverse. Not designated as a Cameo, but contrast is nevertheless evident on each side.

Quarter PR67. Rose and blue patina is seen on the obverse, while the reverse untoned in the center with light golden color around the margin. Exceptionally well-preserved surfaces.

Half Dollar PR66. Smoky blue-gray toning is seen over the obverse, but the reverse displays a nearly brilliant center with marginal rose and seagreen toning. Well-preserved surfaces.

Dollar PR65. Each side shows some interior brilliance with steel-gray and blue color over most of each side. Attractive and original. (Total: 6 coins)

GOLD DOLLARS

1849 Gold Dollar, MS66 Open Wreath, D-4 Only Two Finer at PCGS





3141 1849 Open Wreath, D-4, Close Stars, MS66 PCGS. The date has thin numerals with a meandering die crack that curves across the reverse through the I in UNITED, DOLL, the right top of the 9, and to the lower right wreath branch. Other die cracks are evident on the reverse. The 1849 Open Wreath gold dollars are seen more frequently than the Closed Wreath coins, but neither issue is seen with frequency in Premium Gem or finer grades. PCGS has only certified two numerically finer examples of this condition rarity. This boldly detailed beauty has frosty mint luster and brilliant light yellow-gold surfaces that are free of consequential marks. Population: 16 in 66 (1 in 66+), 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25B9, PCGS# 521671 Base PCGS# 7502

1850-D Gold Dollar, MS62+ Rare Type One in Mint State



3142 1850-D MS62+ PCGS. Variety 2-C. Rare in About Uncirculated conditions and even rarer in full Mint State, the 1850-D rates high on many want lists and poses a great challenge to type collectors needing a Type One representative. The Bowers' reference notes "true Mint State coins are so rare as to be virtually unobtainable." Doug Winter adds the 1850-D is "underrated and undervalued in all grades." Just 8,382 pieces were struck.

The issue is almost always weakly struck in the centers, as seen on this example. The high points of Liberty's curls and bun are weak, and LAR of DOLLAR are filled and incompletely brought up. The peripheral elements are sharper, although a few of the bottom stars are rounded in the centers. Die clashing is visible on both sides. Traces of prooflike flash remain around the devices, while marks are few and small. A thin abrasion exists between a star and the neck. Attractive orange-gold color deepens within the lustrous and satiny fields, and the reverse is rotated 45° clockwise. Just three examples are finer at PCGS. Population: 1 in 62+, 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25BH, PCGS# 7511

1852-O Gold Dollar, MS64 Condition Census Quality



3143 1852-O MS64 PCGS. Variety 1. A mintage of 140,000 coins and a surviving population of 300 to 400 pieces makes the 1852-O the second most challenging New Orleans gold dollar after the 1850-O. Most examples are seen in the XF-AU range. This near-Gem qualifies for the Condition Census. The stars and reverse legend are bold, while central softness is minimal. Lustrous yellow-gold surfaces exhibit nothing more than a few superficial ticks and grazes. Population: 8 in 64, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25BT, PCGS# 7520

1869 Gold Dollar, MS67 Ex: Harry W. Bass, Jr.



3144 1869 MS67 PCGS. Ex: Harry W. Bass, Jr. The present Superb Gem was described in the second Bass catalog as "quality-wise certainly one of the highlights of the present offering of gold dollars from the Bass Collection." We can only add that the cataloger neglected to mention the splendid peach-gold toning, augmented by glimpses of sea-green along the lower borders. A sharp strike, potent cartwheel sheen, and pristine preservation confirm the lofty third-party grade. Only 5,900 pieces were produced for commerce. Population: 10 in 67 (1 in 67+), 2 finer (1/20).

Ex: Purchased from Rowe and Brownlee, 5/1969; Harry W. Bass, Jr. Collection, Part II (Bowers and Merena, 10/1999), lot 174, which realized \$7,187.50. NGC ID# 25D5, PCGS# 7568

1872 Gold Dollar, MS66 Prooflike Absolute and Conditional Rarity



3145 1872 MS66 Prooflike PCGS. CAC. With a mintage of 3,500 circulation strikes and 30 proofs, the 1872 is often found with reflective surfaces and well-contrasted devices. This Premium Gem example stands out in both regards, with gleaming, mirrorlike fields and pinpoint-sharp, frosted devices. Marks are limited to a pair of tiny ticks below Liberty's ear, visible under a loupe. The small mintage was not well-saved, with perhaps only two dozen or so pieces at or above the MS63 level. This MS66 Prooflike coin ranks near the top of the circulation strike survivors, with wonderfully preserved honey-gold surfaces and dazzling eye appeal. Population: 1 in 66 Prooflike, 0 finer (1/20). PCGS# 783917 Base PCGS# 7572

PROOF GOLD DOLLAR

1859 Gold Dollar, PR66 Ultra Cameo Tied Finest in Ultra or Deep Cameo





3146 1859 PR66 Ultra Cameo NGC. JD-2, R.7. Two varieties are known for 1859 proof gold dollars, with two different reverse dies used for proof strikes. One reverse (JD-1) shows the date centered below DOLLARS, while another variety (the scarcer JD-2) has the date positioned lower and closer to the bow, with the base of 1 repunched. This strongly contrasted Premium Gem Ultra Cameo proof is the second variety, which also shows clash marks removed by die polishing and thinning of Liberty's front headdress feathers.

While the recent John Dannreuther gold proof reference notes between 20 to 30 1859 proof dollars are thought to survive from a mintage of 80 proofs, the author's research indicates the JD-2 variety has only five to 10 survivors. This exact example ranks among the top five JD-2 significant examples. Gleaming yellowgold color displays saffron overtones near the upper-left wreath elements, and a dot-like, Mint-made depression in the upper-right obverse field serves as a useful pedigree marker. Here is an eyeappealing and rare early gold proof from the U.S. Mint — tied for finest-certified with three other PR66 Ultra Cameo examples at NGC, plus one at PCGS in PR66 Deep Cameo. There are no finer Ultra or Deep Cameo examples certified (1/20). NGC ID# 3WLX, PCGS# 97609

EARLY QUARTER EAGLES

1802/'1' Quarter Eagle, BD-3, AU58 Rare Variety, Challenging Date



3147 1802/1 BD-3, R.5, AU58 PCGS. Bass-Dannreuther Die State b/b. Field star 1 is blatantly repunched, a useful diagnostic to identify the scarce BD-3 variety. The reverse die was later used to strike 1802 JR-1 and 1803 JR-1 dimes, one of the hardworking gold series "double denomination" dies seen in early U.S. coinage. Neither John Dannreuther nor Harry Bass believed the 2 on 1802 quarter eagles overstruck an underdigit 1, unlike the 1802/1 half eagles, which are obvious overdates.

This nearly Mint State coin displays bright, greenish-gold surfaces and well-struck motifs. A few diagonal, short marks on the eagle's shield appear to be abrasions rather than adjustment marks, and slight wear is visible on the eagle's head. A few other brief marks on the obverse rim at 3 o'clock indeed could be Mint file marks, although it is not certain. The Bass-Dannreuther reference estimates only 60 to 75 BD-3 pieces survive. Population (all varieties): 12 in 58 (1 in 58+), 18 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25F6, PCGS# 45508 Base PCGS# 7650

1804 Quarter Eagle, AU58 14 Stars Reverse, BD-2



3148 1804 14 Stars Reverse, BD-2, R.4, AU58 PCGS. CAC. Bass-Dannreuther Die State c/a, with a vertical die crack in the left obverse field. Only two varieties are known for the 1804 Capped Bust Right quarter eagle. This coin represents the more available BD-2 variety, with 14 stars on the reverse. John Dannreuther estimates the mintage of the BD-2 variety at 2,324-2,827 pieces, with a surviving population of 150-200 examples in all grades. The reverse die was also used to strike dimes in 1804.

This attractive near-Mint specimen exhibits well-detailed design elements, with a touch of softness on the eagle's tail and just a trace of friction on the high points of the devices. The antique-gold surfaces are lightly abraded and retain much of their original mint luster. Population: 22 in 58, 18 finer. CAC: 5 in 58, 4 finer (1/20). From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# BFVT, PCGS# 45510 Base PCGS# 7652

LIBERTY QUARTER EAGLES

1865 Quarter Eagle, AU58 Seldom Offered, Major Gold Rarity





3149 1865 AU58 PCGS. A mintage of just 1,520 pieces and the failure of coinage to circulate in the Eastern two-thirds of the country during the Civil War made 1865 quarter eagles rare from outset, and this Philadelphia date remains extremely rare in all grades today. It equals the scarcity of several branch mint gold pieces of the era, although collectors do not always recognize the fact. This is a nearly Mint State example, with sharply struck devices and reddish-gold patina over semireflective fields. Only a few tiny marks and delicate hairlines are seen under a loupe. The eye appeal is exceeded only by its abject rarity, two factors that argue for a perceptively strong bid. Population: 5 in 58 (1 in 58+), 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25K5, PCGS# 7801

1898 Liberty Quarter Eagle, MS67 Registry Grade Example



3150 1898 MS67 PCGS. CAC. Well frosted with thick, satiny luster over both sides and blushes of reddish patina through the centers. While considered as a common issue among Liberty Quarter Eagles, in this nearly unimprovable state of preservation the 1898 is much scarcer than many of its 20th century brethren. Population: 16 in 67 (2 in 67+), 0 finer. CAC: 14 in 67, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 25LN, PCGS# 7850

PROOF LIBERTY QUARTER EAGLES

1893 Liberty Quarter Eagle, PR68 Tied for Finest Ultra Cameo



3151 1893 PR68 Ultra Cameo NGC. JD-1, R.5. Only 106 proof Liberty quarter eagles were struck in 1893, a small production total in absolute terms, but fairly generous in the context of the series. The coins were delivered in quarterly batches of 30, 23, 10, and 43 pieces throughout the year. A single die pair was used to strike all the proofs, with some diagnostic features that make it easy to distinguish between proofs and prooflike circulation strikes. On the obverse proof die, the 1 in the date is positioned low, so close to the dentils that they show what John Dannreuther calls a slightly "bitten" effect below the digit. The reverse die shows die polish in the lower part of the clear stripes in the shield. Probably no more than 50 to 60 examples survive today in all grades. NGC has certified three examples in PR68 Ultra Cameo, with none finer, while PCGS has graded only a single coin in PR68 Deep Cameo, also with none finer (1/20).

The 1893 proof quarter eagles were uniformly well-produced. This magnificent PR68 specimen exhibits razor-sharp definition on all design elements, with full star centers and every strand of Liberty's hair crisply delineated. The devices display a rich coat of mint frost that creates intense gold-on-black cameo contrast with the deeply mirrored fields. The vivid yellow-gold surfaces are virtually flawless, with a small planchet flake (as made) in the reverse field, below the E in AMERICA, the only useful pedigree marker. Overall visual appeal is tremendous. This lot represents an important opportunity for the proof gold specialist or Registry Set enthusiast. NGC ID# 288G, PCGS# 97919

1897 Quarter Eagle, PR66+ Ultra Cameo Exceptionally Sharp and Attractive



3152 1897 PR66+ Ultra Cameo NGC. JD-1, High R.4. Across all denominations, the proof issues from the late-1890s are among the most sought after for type purposes. This holds true for the quarter eagle as well, and the current example displays deeply mirrored fields with strongly contrasting, heavily frosted devices. There are no noticeable surface flaws, Mint-made or otherwise. There were four deliveries of proof quarter eagles in 1897 with a total production of 136 pieces. Predictably, the superior production of these proofs resulted in a slightly higher number of survivors, many of which have been preserved in higher grades. The finest is an NGC PR69 Ultra Cameo. John Dannreuther estimates 70 to 80 proofs may exist today. At NGC, this is one of 4 pieces that have been certified at the PR66+ Ultra Cameo level, with another 15 examples graded higher (1/20). NGC ID# 288L, PCGS# 97923

1898 Quarter Eagle, PR65 Deep Cameo Type Coin



3153 1898 PR65 Deep Cameo PCGS. JD-1, R.4. The proof 1898 quarter eagle population is moderately balanced between non-Cameo, Cameo, and Deep Cameo coins, although pieces in the later category are the most sought-after. In Gem condition, this Deep Cameo is highly appealing and devoid of bothersome flaws. The devices are fully struck, and there is considerable orange peel effect in the fields. Rich yellow-gold coloration is original. This issue was well-made and is popular with type collectors seeking a proof Liberty Head coin. The present example serves that purpose well. Population: 5 in 65 Deep Cameo, 19 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 288M, PCGS# 97924

1901 Quarter Eagle, PR67 Ultra Cameo Superb Proof Type Coin





3154 1901 PR67 Ultra Cameo NGC. JD-1, Low R.4. The proof quarter eagle mintage of 1901 was the highest in the Liberty Head series at 223 pieces. This issue is a popular type coin in high grade, but it is not nearly as plentiful as the certified population reports suggest. PCGS and NGC combined report 258 proof grading events for the 1901 — by a large margin, more coins than were ever struck. By contrast, including duplicate appearances by some coins, we have handled a Deep or Ultra Cameo example of this "plentiful" proof issue on just 27 occasions over the past 25 years. Thus, the 1901 proof quarter eagle is scarce overall, and it is a genuine condition rarity in the finer grades. This Superb Gem proof is fully struck and starkly contrasted with bright yellow-gold color. The glassy-smooth surfaces are virtually flawless, and the eye appeal is extraordinary. Census: 7 in 67 Ultra Cameo (1 in 67★), 8 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 288R, PCGS# 97927

1902 Liberty Quarter Eagle, PR65 Rarely Seen Finer





3155 1902 PR65 NGC. JD-1, R.4. Only 193 proof Liberty quarter eagles were struck in 1902, down from the substantial 223-piece production of the year before. John Dannreuther estimates the surviving population at 120-140 examples in all grades today. For some reason, the Mint switched to an all-brilliant finish for proof coins in 1902 and examples with cameo contrast are seldom encountered after that date. The Third Philadelphia Mint opened in October of 1901, and the new facilities and equipment might have played some part in the decision to abandon the old proof finish, with the frosted design elements, but no documentation on the subject has come to light.

The present coin is an attractive Gem proof, with sharply detailed design elements and deeply mirrored fields, but only modest field/device contrast. The vivid orange-gold surfaces exhibit no mentionable flaws and overall eye appeal is outstanding. Census: 11 in 65 (1 in 65★), 12 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 288S, PCGS# 7928

1907 Liberty Quarter Eagle, PR66 Elusive Cameo Example





3156 1907 PR66 Cameo PCGS. JD-1, R.4. Only 154 proof Liberty quarter eagles were struck in 1907, from a single pair of dies. The obverse die shows the first 1 in the date positioned low and the dentils seem to be "notched" below the digit. A few die lumps are visible at the neckline and a paper clip shaped artifact appears on the bust point. On the reverse, some horizontal polish lines appear at the top of the second clear stripe in the shield. John Dannreuther estimates the surviving population at 100-120 examples in all grades.

This spectacular Premium Gem proof exhibits well-detailed design elements, with just a trace of softness on the eagle's left (facing) leg. The devices display a thick coat of mint frost that contrasts boldly with the deeply mirrored fields. The bright yellow-gold surfaces are impeccably preserved and eye appeal is terrific. Population: 9 in 66 Cameo, 9 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 288X, PCGS# 87933

INDIAN QUARTER EAGLE

1914 Indian Quarter Eagle, MS65 Conditionally Rare in Higher Grades





3157 1914 MS65 PCGS. The 1914 Indian quarter eagle claims a relatively modest mintage of 240,000 pieces, the second-lowest production total of the series. Accordingly, the 1914 is an elusive issue in the series and only the famous 1911-D is more difficult to locate in absolute terms. Examples in MS65 condition are scarce and finer coins are virtually unobtainable.

This spectacular Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements, with fine definition on the lower headdress feathers. The well-preserved orange-gold surfaces radiate satiny mint luster from both sides. Overall eye appeal is terrific. Population: 66 in 65 (2 in 65+), 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 7KRA, PCGS# 7946

1908 PROOF SET

1908 Five-Piece Proof Set, PR65 to PR67 All PCGS Certified Beautifully Toned and Perfectly Matched



3158 1908 Five-Piece Proof Set, PR65-67 PCGS. This incredible 1908 five-piece minor proof set, cent through half dollar, is beautifully matched. The set is housed in consecutively numbered PCGS holders grading PR65 Red and Brown through PR67. This is likely an original set that has remained together since issued in 1908. Included are:

Cent PR65 Red and Brown. The Indian Head design appears here in its second to last year of issue. This Gem features a primarily cherry-red and fire-orange obverse with a pronounced woodgrain appearance, while the reverse showcases bright shades of lemon-gold, mint-green, and powderblue color. Flashy and nicely contrasted.

Nickel PR66. Eye-appealing shades of peach-orange and yellow-gold dominate each side, revealing additional accents of rose, sky-blue, and pale green. Eye appeal is phenomenal.

Dime PR67. The fields remain glassy beneath shades of iridescent rose, orange, magenta, green, and blue toning. The latter color completely dominates the central reverse. The quality of this proof Barber dime is certainly fitting for the esteemed Superb Gem grade.

Quarter PR67. This coin in unbelievable. Rose and lavender centers progress to ice-blue, green, and yellow borders on the obverse. Orange and golden color adheres to the reverse rim, merging with ocean-blue interiors. The glassy mirrors generate partial contrast against the fully struck devices. Quality is spectacular.

Half Dollar PR66. Dusky shades of lavender and chestnut-gold grace this Premium Gem proof. Additional blue, violet, and orange accents complement the original patina. The underlying proof mirrors retain much original brilliance and greatly enhance the toning present. From The Stunning 1908 Proof Set. (Total: 5 coins)

PROOF INDIAN QUARTER EAGLE

1908 Indian Quarter Eagle, PR66+ First Year for Sandblast Proofs



3159 1908 PR66+ PCGS. CAC. With the new coinage designs of 1907 and 1908, the mint recognized these coins could not be produced by the conventional brilliant proofing method. Their solution was to sandblast the coins, producing a matte surface; a finish that had been applied to some mint medals for decades. So, at least the mint must be given credit for recognizing the inherent design problem and its incompatibility with normal minting techniques, as well as reaching for a solution that would be applicable to the design. However, the mint's main customers for proofs were coin collectors, and collectors were generally not familiar with the matte proofing technique or appearance. The result was general dislike by the collecting community and dwindling sales for proof gold until the final year in 1915. But in 1908 this was still an unknown, and collectors as well as mint personnel began the year with high hopes. There were 236 proof quarter eagles produced, and it is estimated that 100 to 120 pieces are extant today. The sandblast surfaces on this piece show more reddish patina than often seen on 1908 proof gold, which usually tends more toward a deeper khakibrown. The surfaces on each side are remarkably free from contact marks or shiny spots, reinforcing the Plus and CAC designation of this exceptional piece of proof gold. This coin is part of a complete 1908 proof set, with the other coins offered in neighboring lots in the catalog. Population: 19 in 66 (3 in 66+), 8 finer. CAC: 6 in 66, 2 finer (1/20).

From The Stunning 1908 Proof Set. NGC ID# 289G, PCGS# 7957

1908 Indian Half Eagle, PR66 Rare Sandblast Proof CAC Endorsed



3160 1908 PR66 PCGS. CAC. The innovative, incuse Indian design by Bela Lyon Pratt was introduced on the quarter eagle and half eagle in 1908. The Philadelphia Mint found it impossible to polish the dies for the new designs to produce the old brilliant finish used on proofs of earlier years, so a new sandblast finish was adopted. The coins were struck from specially prepared dies and subjected to sandblasting with a coarse grain of sand, while being held with a glove. The sandblast finish gave the coins an artistic medallic appearance, but contemporary collectors preferred the old brilliant proofs and orders for proof sets were anemic. Ordinarily, the adoption of a new design would increase orders because of the novelty value. Accordingly, the Mint produced 500 examples of the new gold proofs in 1908, but only 167 proof half eagles were distributed. The remaining coins went unsold and were melted after the close of the year. Only 80 to 100 examples survive today in all grades. Of course, present-day numismatists appreciate the sandblast proofs for their artistic quality and elusive nature. They are avidly sought by collectors in today's market.

The present coin is a delightful Premium Gem, with razorsharp definition on all design elements. Fine detail is evident on the lower headdress feathers and the eagle's shoulder. The dark orange-gold surfaces are free of mentionable distractions and the tremendous quality and eye appeal are attested by the CAC sticker. This coin is part of a complete 1908 proof set, with the other coins offered in neighboring lots in the catalog. Population: 19 in 66 (1 in 66+), 3 finer. CAC: 7 in 66, 2 finer (1/20).

From The Stunning 1908 Proof Set. NGC ID# BYJ6, PCGS# 8539

1908 Indian Eagle, PR65 Early Sandblast Proof First Year With Motto



3161 1908 Motto PR65 PCGS. JD-1, Low R.5. The Philadelphia Mint switched to a matte, or sandblast, finish for gold proof coins in 1908, because the new designs by Augustus Saint-Gaudens and Bela Lyon Pratt were not suitable for the old brilliant proof finish of earlier years. The 1908 proofs were sandblasted with a coarse grain of sand after striking, which imparted a dark olive patina to the coins. The fields were not reflective, but the devices were sharply rendered and the resulting finish had an artistic European appearance. Unfortunately, U.S. collectors of the early 20th century preferred the old brilliant finish, and the new proofs were unpopular from the start. John Dannreuther notes 500 proof Indian eagles were struck in 1908, but only 116 were distributed by December 30. The remaining unsold specimens were melted. The surviving population numbers just 70 to 80 examples in all grades today.

The 1908 gold proof sets began appearing at auction at an early date, as dealers and collectors alike speculated on the new designs. An early auction appearance was in lot 18 of the Charles Conover Collection (B. Max Mehl, 5/1914):

"1908 \$20, \$10, \$5, \$2.50. The new St. Gaudens and Pratt types. Dull sand blasted finish. Complete set. Four pieces. Extremely rare. A similar set, in the Zabriskie sale in 1909, brought \$70.00. Is worth far more now."

Mehl's statement about the rising value of gold proofs has held true over the years and present-day collectors appreciate the sandblast proofs for their artistic merit and rarity. Recent sales of 1908 proof Indian eagles include the PR65 PCGS specimen in lot 5673 of the Chicago Signature (Heritage, 8/2014), that realized \$79,312.50.

In addition to the new finish, the 1908 proofs featured the new design with the motto IN GOD WE TRUST on the reverse, an important consideration for type collectors. This delightful Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout, with fine definition on the lower headdress feathers and the eagle's shoulder. The dark olive-gold surfaces are impeccably preserved and overall eye appeal is terrific. This coin is part of a complete 1908 proof set, with the other coins offered in neighboring lots in the catalog. Population: 14 in 65, 15 finer (1/20).

From The Stunning 1908 Proof Set. NGC ID# 2AME, PCGS# 8890

PROOF SAINT-GAUDENS DOUBLE EAGLE

1908 Motto Double Eagle, PR66+ First Matte Proof Issue Classic 20th Century Rarity



3162 1908 Motto PR66+ PCGS. CAC. JD-1, Low R.5. The Philadelphia Mint found it impossible to polish the basined surfaces and high relief devices of the new Saint-Gaudens design in the same manner as the old brilliant proofs of previous years. Accordingly, they adopted an artistic matte, or sandblast, finish for gold proof coins in 1908. After striking, the 1908 proofs were heavily sandblasted with a coarse grain of sand that produced a dark olive-gold patina, with none of the reflective fields and field-device contrast of earlier proofs. The resulting finish resembled that seen on some European medals of the period, but contemporary U.S. collectors much preferred the old brilliant proof finish. Mint records indicate only 101 proof double eagles were distributed in 1908. Remaining unsold pieces were subsequently melted. Probably no more than 60 to 70 examples survive today in all grades.

Gold proof sets began appearing on the secondary market almost immediately, as dealers sought to capitalize on the novelty of the new design. An early auction appearance was in lot 476 of the Andrew C. Zabriskie Collection (Henry Chapman, 6/1909), "1908. Gold proof set, \$20, \$10, \$5, \$2 1/2. Dull sandblasted finish. Extremely rare. Set." The lot realized \$70, a fairly strong price at the time. Collectors eventually came to appreciate the sandblast proofs and present-day numismatists hold them in high regard. Recent sales of the 1908 proof double eagle include the PR66 PCGS example in lot 4569 of the FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2020), which realized \$96,000.

The present coin is a Plus-graded Premium Gem, with razor-sharp definition on all design elements. The columns in the Capitol Building are individually countable and Liberty's facial features are sharply delineated. The virtually flawless surfaces display even honey-gold color across both sides of the coin. The outstanding quality and eye appeal are attested by the CAC sticker. This coin should find a home in the finest collection or Registry Set. This coin is part of a complete 1908 proof set, with the other coins offered in neighboring lots in the catalog.

Population: 6 in 66 (1 in 66+), 2 finer. CAC: 2 in 66, 2 finer (1/20)

From The Stunning 1908 Proof Set. NGC ID# 26GV, PCGS# 9205

PROOF INDIAN QUARTER EAGLE

THREE DOLLAR GOLD PIECES

1911 Indian Quarter Eagle, PR67 191 Pieces Struck





3163 1911 PR67 PCGS. JD-1, R.4. Coin collectors attending the 1910 ANA Convention voted in favor of returning to the Sandblast finish for gold proof coins and the Philadelphia Mint acquiesced the following year. Only 191 proof Indian quarter eagles were struck, with the coins delivered in two batches, a group of 150 coins on May 20 and another delivery of 41 pieces on December 9. While these coins employed the traditional Sandblast finish, they are noticeably lighter in color than their 1908 counterparts. John Dannreuther believes they were initially produced as Satin proofs and then sandblasted with a finer grain of sand than that used in 1908. Probably no more than 100-120 examples survive today in all grades.

This spectacular Superb Gem exhibits razor-sharp definition on all design elements and the sparkly mustard-yellow surfaces are virtually flawless. A microscopic amber alloy spot in the reverse field, near OF, is the only useful pedigree marker. Overall eye appeal is terrific. Population: 24 in 67 (2 in 67+), 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 289K, PCGS# 7960

1879 Three Dollar Gold, MS66+ Condition Census Example



3164 1879 MS66+ PCGS. The 1879 three dollar gold piece claims a small business-strike mintage of 3,000 pieces. There was no commercial demand for the coins and it is possible that part of the mintage was never distributed. Many examples remained stored in bank vaults for years, until the denomination was discontinued in 1889. After 1889, the coins carried a small premium and many high-grade examples were saved by dealers and contemporary collectors. As a result, the 1879 can be easily located in lower Mint State grades today, but the issue is rare at the MS66 grade level, and finer coins are virtually unobtainable.

This Plus-graded Premium Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements and impeccably preserved yellow and greenish-gold surfaces that radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides. Overall eye appeal is terrific. Population: 9 in 66 (3 in 66+), 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25N2, PCGS# 8001

1882 Three Dollar Gold, MS65+ Rare Deep Prooflike Specimen



3165 1882 MS65+ Deep Prooflike NGC. Only 1,500 business-strike three dollar gold pieces were struck in 1882, accompanied by a small mintage of 76 proof examples for collectors. The business-strikes were all delivered on December 23 and some may not have been distributed. The business-strikes have a boldly recut 2 in the date, making it easy to differentiate between the formats. Fortunately for collectors, the issue was heavily saved and examples in lower Mint State grades are reasonably available today. The issue is rare at the MS65 grade level, however, and finer coins are virtually unobtainable.

This Plus-graded Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements and deeply reflective prooflike fields that contrast boldly with the frosty devices. The bright yellow-gold surfaces show no mentionable distractions and overall eye appeal is terrific. Census: 1 in 65+ Deep Prooflike, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25N5, PCGS# 78004

PROOF THREE DOLLAR GOLD PIECE

1885 Three Dollar Gold, PR64 Cameo Late-Series Rarity



3166 1885 PR64 Cameo PCGS. JD-1, High R.4. Just 800 circulation strikes and 110 proofs were struck for the 1885 three dollar gold issue. This near-Gem Cameo is conclusively a proof, based on the recent John Dannreuther proof gold reference. A full leaf at left of the date is characteristic of a proof, as is a polished area at the last two feathers of Liberty's headdress, also present on this coin. Glittering yellow-gold mirrors surround frosted raised devices throughout both sides, contrasting boldly mirrored fields. Dannreuther estimates between 65 to 80 proofs survive from the original mintage. PCGS population: 8 in 64 Cameo, 14 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 28AU, PCGS# 88049

PROOF FOUR DOLLAR GOLD PIECE

1879 Flowing Hair Stella, AU Details Judd-1635, Pollock-1833





3167 1879 Flowing Hair, Judd-1635, Pollock-1833, JD-1, R.3 — Repaired — PCGS Genuine. AU Details. The four dollar gold piece, or stella, is a curious pattern that was proposed by William Wheeler Hubble as an international coin whose value would be roughly equivalent to that of an Austrian 8 Florin and other coins of the Latin Monetary Union. The coin was designed by Charles Barber in 1879 after a design his father, William, had executed in the previous year. That same year, 25 pieces were struck as patterns (Judd-1635). This coin is one of the 400 restrikes that were produced in 1880 and then widely distributed around Washington circles to popularize the proposed new denomination, but were soon forgotten when the international gold coin was rejected as impractical by Congress. The fields are reflective with moderate to heavy abrasions, even wear on the highpoints, and greenish-gold coloration. Evidence of repair shows on the star and in the right field on the reverse. A rare and popular issue in a grade, and price range, seldom offered at auction.

Ex: Baltimore Signature (Heritage, 7/2003), lot 10258.

From The McDonald Family Collection.

EARLY HALF EAGLES

1795 Capped Bust Right Five, AU58 First Year Gold Issue Small Eagle, BD-1



3168 1795 Small Eagle, BD-1, R.5, AU58 NGC. CAC. Bass-Dannreuther Die State c/a, although the crack through 9 has not branched out above 7. The improperly hardened dies for 1795 Small Eagle fives cracked easily, with 8 obverse dies and 8 reverse dies required to make 12 varieties — all to produce a *Guide Book* mintage of just 8,707 pieces, only about 725 pieces average per die marriage. The BD-1 die pair struck between 750 and 1,500 coins, of which just 40 to 50 pieces are known in all grades, according to the Bass-Dannreuther reference. Harry Bass aptly described the BD-1 variety:

"Date numerals apart, spaced 179 5. Top point of 5 well imbedded in drapery. Rust lumps in lowest curls, field, date. crack edge - left side of 9, REV. 4 berries. Leaves run into bottom of U and left base of N. Rust lumps. Lapped."

Apparently, the dies rusted awaiting resolution of surety bonds required of Mint officials. Despite the die rust, this near-Mint State example is pleasingly prooflike throughout both sides, even though the reflectivity is diminished by light field friction. Actual wear from circulation is minimal. Both obverse and reverse are sharply struck, showing brief weakness at the eagle's right (facing) leg, breast, and neck feathers. While numerous tiny marks exist, none are large or distracting, and most are microscopic in nature. Reddish-gold color radiates from the prooflike margins, framing orange-gold central elements for outstanding eye appeal.

The Small Eagle fives were the first U.S. gold coins of any denomination struck by the Federal Mint, and as such, they hold a special place in the hearts of early gold collectors. Robert Scot's design was well-received for its Draped Bust obverse, although the Small Eagle reverse was deemed "scrawny" and soon replaced by the Heraldic Eagle design. Certainly, the Small Eagle design is better loved by today's numismatists than it was by the politically charged Congress and legislators in 1795. This example is housed in a previous generation NGC holder with CAC endorsement. It is an exceptional coin for a top-shelf Small Eagle set or for any highend early half eagle collection. Its standout visual allure exceeds the numeric grade. Census: 55 in 58 (1 in 58★), 62 finer. CAC: 9 in 58, 15 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 25ND, PCGS# 519849 Base PCGS# 8066

1795 Small Eagle Five, XF Details First Year of Gold Coinage, BD-2





3169 1795 Small Eagle, BD-2, R.6 — Ex-Jewelry — PCGS Genuine. XF Details. Bass-Dannreuther Die State a/c. This coin represents the rare BD-2 variety, with star 11 touching Y in LIBERTY, four berries in the wreath, and the final leaf in the branch ending at N in UNITED. The BD-2 has a surviving population of just 20-25 examples and collectors prize specimens in all grades and conditions. This lightly worn, lightly abraded example shows evidence of a jewelry mount on the reverse, below the A in AMERICA and some disturbance on Liberty's cheek.

From The McDonald Family Collection.

1802/1 Capped Bust Right Five, AU55 Guide Book Variety, BD-2





3170 1802/1 BD-2, High R.4, AU55 PCGS. Bass-Dannreuther Die State b/b, with a die crack through the base of 18 in the date. This coin has an incomplete ribbon loop and a lumpy die break at the reverse rim, just before the first S in STATES, identifying the BD-2 variety. The design elements are well-detailed, with a touch of softness at the juncture of the shield and the left (facing) wing. Some light wear shows on the high points and the lustrous orangegold surfaces show some minor abrasions in the field. Housed in a green label holder. PCGS# 519885 Base PCGS# 8083

1803/2 BD-3 Half Eagle, AU58 Popular Overdate, Repunched T in UNITED





3171 1803/2 BD-3, R.4, AU58 NGC. Bass-Dannreuther Die State f/b. Both obverse and reverse show diagnostic die cracks to confirm the late die state. This is a pleasing near-Mint State example, with sharply defined motifs including the obverse stars and crisp horizontal shield stripes. Mint luster glows brightly from the obverse margins and throughout the reverse. A few light marks and abrasions account for the assigned grade, while some inoffensive adjustment marks angle across the eagle's shield, talons, and arrows. Eye appeal is strong. NGC ID# 25NY, PCGS# 504950 Base PCGS# 8084

1806 Half Eagle, MS61 Knob 6, 7x6 Stars, BD-6 Lustrous Honey-Gold Type Coin



3172 1806 Knob 6, 7x6 Stars, BD-6, R.2, MS61 NGC. Bass-Dannreuther Die State d/f. Despite multiple lapping in earlier die states, reclashing at the lower shield and arrow fletchings signifies the latest die stage of the popular Knob 6, BD-6 variety. All other 1806 varieties have a pointed 6, but taken together (regardless of variety) the Pointed 6 is far scarcer than this single knobbed 6 die marriage. The present coin is a frosted and lustrous example — sharply struck in most regards, with slightly rounded obverse star centers, and characteristic weakness at the left wing/shield junction. Marks are limited to a few delicate lines and minor abrasions. There are no adjustment marks or planchet anomalies seen on either side of this attractive early half eagle. Census: 30 in 61, 60 finer (1/20).. NGC ID# BFXJ, PCGS# 45620 Base PCGS# 8089

1810 Capped Bust Left Five, MS63 Large Date, Large 5, BD-4



3173 1810 Large Date, Large 5, BD-4, R.2, MS63 PCGS. Bass-Dannreuther Die State a/a, with no die cracks or clash marks. A substantial mintage of 100,287 Capped Bust Left half eagles was accomplished in 1810, with four die varieties known for the date. This coin represents the BD-4 variety, with large numerals in the date and denomination. The BD-4 is a relatively available issue, with a surviving population of 500-750 examples in all grades. The obverse die was used previously to strike the rare BD-3 variety of this date. This was the only use of the reverse die.

This impressive Select specimen is sharply detailed in most areas, but some softness shows on the eagle's claws and arrow fletchings. Faint planchet adjustment marks are evident in the reverse dentils from 7 to 9 o'clock. The lightly marked orange-gold surfaces retain much of their original mint luster and eye appeal is outstanding. Population (for the variety): 1 in 63, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# BFXP, PCGS# 507598 Base PCGS# 8108

1811 Capped Bust Left Half Eagle, AU55 Tall 5, BD-1 Variety



3174 1811 Tall 5, BD-1, High R.3, AU55 NGC. Bass-Dannreuther Die State c/e, with bold clash marks below the bust. the Tall 5 in the denomination identifies the BD-1 variety. John Dannreuther estimates the surviving population at 175-250 pieces in all grades. This Choice AU example displays well-detailed design elements, with just a touch of wear, and dramatic clash marks on both sides. The still-lustrous orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded and appealing. Census (for the variety): 4 in 55 (1 in 55+★), 42 finer (1/20). NGC ID# BFXS, PCGS# 507600 Base PCGS# 8110

1811 Capped Bust Left Five Dollar, AU58 BD-2, Small 5 Variant



3175 1811 Small 5, BD-2, R.3, AU58 PCGS. Bass-Dannreuther Die State d/a. The present pleasing example displays bright luster throughout the eagle and borders. High points such as the claws and drapery show slight rub, but no marks are evident, and the butter-gold surfaces exude strong eye appeal. Although the 1807 to 1812 Capped Bust Left type is scarce, it can be completed by date, and such a six-piece set would be an impressive accomplishment. Ex: Summer FUN Signature (Heritage, 7/2011), lot 4718.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# BFXR, PCGS# 507599 Base PCGS# 8109

1814/3 Half Eagle, AU55 Choice BD-1 Overdate, Early Die State



3176 1814/3 BD-1, High R.4, AU55 PCGS. Bass-Dannreuther Die State a/c. The surviving population of 1814/3 half eagles is less than 100 pieces according to the Bass-Dannreuther reference. All are BD-1 coins, representing the sole 1814 die marriage. The issue appeals to multiple collector interests, including date collectors, type specialists, and overdate enthusiasts. The combined populations of PCGS and NGC show 114 grading events, undoubtedly with some duplications. Nearly all examples are AU or finer.

This coin was struck from an early obverse die state, showing no evidence of the "ear bars" that indicate die clashing on later die states, nor is there a die crack at the base of the date. An uneven strike shows minor weakness at the lower stars and Liberty's lower curls, although the balance of the obverse is sharp. Likewise, the reverse shows brief weakness at the tops of STATES OF. Greenishgold surfaces show considerable luster, with minor marks and a few delicate, wayward hairlines. Eye appeal is strong. Housed in a previous generation green label holder. Population: 7 in 55, 38 finer (1/20). NGC ID# BFXT, PCGS# 519908 Base PCGS# 8117

CLASSIC HALF EAGLE

1838 Five Dollar, MS63+ Final Year for the Classic Head Type



3177 1838 MS63+ PCGS. Breen-6515, McCloskey 2-B, R.1. Small Arrows, Large 5. With the 1838 mintage split between two varieties, only the most advanced collectors tend to differentiate between the 1838 types. This is a high-end, Select Uncirculated example of the Small Arrows, Large 5 reverse, with D in the denomination fully under the branch stem. Frosted greenish-gold surfaces are sharply struck and vibrantly lustrous, with razor-sharp definition throughout the central devices. Only a few minuscule, tiny marks possibly prevent an even finer grade. The PCGS Plus designation is currently granted to just one other coin at the MS63 level, and fewer than two dozen examples are certified finer at PCGS (inclusive of both varieties). Population: 2 in 63+, 23 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25S4, PCGS# 8176

LIBERTY HALF EAGLES

1841-D Small D Half Eagle Rare in Mint State



3178 1841-D Small D MS61 NGC. Variety 5-D. One of two die pairs known for the issue, Variety 5-D has a small mintmark and a broken second vertical stripe within the shield. The date is lightly repunched south. The 1841-D is an early and better Dahlonega issue. A supermajority of certified examples are in circulated grades, but this nicely struck representative is unworn and displays consistent lemon-gold color. Consistent with the grade, moderate marks are evident on Liberty's jaw and the reverse field. Opportunity is fleeting, since Heritage has not offered an Uncirculated example at auction in more than six years. Census: 8 in 61, 11 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25SR, PCGS# 8204

1849-C Half Eagle, AU55 Scarce Variety 2



3179 1849-C AU55 PCGS. Variety 2. A patch of vertical die lines appears in the field behind the top of the neck at its junction with the hair. Considerable luster remains on this attractive honeygold example that features scattered, grade-consistent marks. Doug Winter's Variety 2 was struck before Variety 1, and lacks the frequently encountered die crack on the shared reverse die. He writes that this variety is "Many times rarer than Variety 1." Population for both varieties: 30 in 55 (2 in 55+), 23 finer (1/20). NGC ID# C5XD, PCGS# 8241

1873-CC Five Dollar, AU Details Difficult Early Carson City Issue



3180 1873-CC — Obverse Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. Variety 2-A. A challenging Carson City issue, the 1873-CC half eagle has a mintage of only 7,416 pieces. There were no dedicated coin collectors in the Old West, and only a few pieces have survived in Mint State. 1873-CC half eagles are about evenly divided between the 2-A (high mintmark) and 2-B (centered mintmark) varieties, but the present lot is the sharpest Variety 2-A example to appear in our auctions this millennium, since other AU and better pieces were Variety 2-B. As always for the issue, the strike shows incompleteness on the curls and fletchings, but the definition surpasses most survivors, and high-point wear is minimal. The caramel-gold surfaces are slightly glossy but are surprisingly free from marks.

1877 Half Eagle, MS61 Prooflike Elusive Low-Mintage Issue





3181 1877 MS61 Prooflike NGC. CAC. Whether a business strike or a proof, the 1877 five dollar is exceptionally rare. Only 1,132 strikes were produced for circulation and a paltry 20 proofs were struck. The difference between the two formats is not always immediately obvious, but close study shows the business strikes have a centered date and rust pits on the neck of Liberty whereas the proofs show rust pits on the chin of Liberty.

With such a small mintage it is not surprising that prooflike business strikes exist. NGC has certified seven Prooflike coins from AU55 to MS62, and one in MS66 Prooflike. This is the second time that we have offered this piece, along with one other piece, out of three NGC certified examples. The fields are remarkably deep in their mirrored reflectivity and the striking definition is strong on the obverse with slight softness noted on the eagle's plumage. A few small abrasions are scattered over each side but none are worthy of singular mention. Census: 3 in 61 Prooflike, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25WZ, PCGS# 78342

1877-CC Five Dollar, AU55 Challenging in All Grades



3182 1877-CC AU55 PCGS. Variety 1-B. PCGS reports four Mint State 1877-CC half eagles — a slight increase over previous years — and NGC adds a single MS62 example to the handful of Uncirculated pieces known. Choice About Uncirculated coins remain rare, with most 1877-CC half eagle survivors clustered in the VF to XF grades. This coin is far finer than the typical '77-CC — a Choice vibrant, yellow-gold AU coin, which displays a sharp strike and plentiful mint luster at the margins. Pale-orange overtones add eye appeal. We note some small digs left of the date, and scattered light marks visible with magnification throughout the pleasing fields and devices. Population: 8 in 55, 8 finer (1/20). NGC ID# BT9Z, PCGS# 8343

1882-S Half Eagle, MS66 None Graded Finer





3183 1882-S MS66 PCGS. The Premium Gem grade level is as good as it gets for the 1882-S, a conditionally challenged half eagle from a plentiful mintage of 969,000 pieces. This is a splendid example with richly frosted orange-gold surfaces and a razor-sharp strike on every element of the design. Only a few shallow grazes and tiny marks are seen on either side, while eye appeal is exceptional. There are only a handful of MS66 coins extant, and neither NGC nor PCGS report a finer example. This coin would serve an important role in any fine Registry Set. Population: 3 in 66, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25XJ, PCGS# 8360

1893-S Five Dollar, MS65 A Major Condition Rarity





3184 1893-S MS65 PCGS. This flashy Gem is tied for second finest certified for the date and mint at PCGS, with only two coins finer coin. While a common date in lower grades, the 1893-S becomes a major condition rarity at the Gem level. This lovely example displays an excellent strike strength on each side, with sharpness evident throughout. The surfaces are boldly lustrous with vibrant golden frost across each side. No mentionable abrasions are present, although a few tiny surface ticks are within the qualifications for the Gem grade. This highly attractive Gem is destined for the finest of collections.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2010), lot 3989. NGC ID# 25YD, PCGS# 8386

1896 Half Eagle, MS66 One of the Top Three Finest Examples



3185 1896 MS66 NGC. Philadelphia half eagles of the mid-1890s are scarcer in high grades than most non-specialists realize. Although mintages vary from the tens of thousands to hundreds of thousands, Gems are seldom encountered and Premium Gems are rare. In the case of the 1896, just 58,960 five dollar gold pieces were struck. This MS66 example ranks among the top two coins at NGC and is tied with one other submission at PCGS (1/20).

Areas of deep sun-gold color meld with swathes of lighter peach-gold. Both sides are strongly struck from the centers to rims, radiating thick mint frost throughout. The obverse exhibits a few tiny, shallow flecks, while the reverse appears nearly pristine. NGC ID# 25YK, PCGS# 8392

1904-S Half Eagle, MS65 Sharply Reduced Mintage



3186 1904-S MS65 PCGS. CAC. Following several years of high San Francisco half eagle coinage production, the mintage in 1904 dropped to just 97,000 coins. The previous five years had an average annual mintage of 1.4 million half eagles at the California coinage factory. Typical survivors range from XF to AU58, with an average certified grade of 57. PCGS has only certified 92 of these in MS60 or finer grades. This lovely Gem has bold design motifs and highly lustrous straw-gold surfaces that show a few trivial marks on Liberty's cheek and below the eagle. An extremely important opportunity. Population: 3 in 65, 4 finer. CAC: 1 in 65, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25Z5, PCGS# 8410

INDIAN HALF EAGLES

1908-S Indian Half Eagle, MS66 Far Above Average





3187 1908-S MS66 PCGS. The two major grading services, PCGS and NGC, have certified 1,146 submissions of 1908-S half eagles in grades that range from VF25 to MS68. Nearly 90% of those coins fall in the AU50 to MS65 grade range, and the average certified grade of the entire population is AU58. The few highest grade examples are attributed to a small hoard once owned by Virgil Brand, the Chicago collector who was active at the time these coins were struck. It is highly likely that this example was from the small Brand hoard of 1908-S half eagles. This piece is far finer than the average coin, and features a bold strike, brilliant and frosty mint luster, and lovely orange-gold patina with faint violet overtones. The surfaces are virtually flawless. Population: 13 in 66 (1 in 66+), 8 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 65K3, PCGS# 8512

1909-O Indian Half Eagle, MS61 Last Gold Coinage of New Orleans



3188 1909-O MS61 PCGS. Variety 1. The lower headdress feathers are reasonably sharp on this 1909-O Indian five, one of the important 20th century gold issues not just in the Indian half eagle series, but among all gold denominations. As the final gold issue to be produced at the New Orleans Mint, the 1909-O has extra significance for collectors. It is also, by far, the lowest-mintage issue in the Indian five dollar series. While most surviving 1909-O half eagles fall into the AU to MS61 levels, coins at the upper end of that range are highly popular scarce. This is a greenish-gold coin, with few abrasions for a 1909-O and a bold, double-struck mintmark. There are no heavy or distracting marks. Population: 29 in 61, 50 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25ZK, PCGS# 8515

1909-O Indian Half Eagle, MS62 Final O-Mint Key



3189 1909-O MS62 NGC. Variety 1. The New Orleans Mint closed its doors in 1909, but not before a small mintage of 34,200 Indian half eagles was accomplished. The issue is not as hard to locate as the small production total would suggest, but Mint State coins are quite elusive. The 1909-O is the only Indian half eagle from the famous Southern facility, making it extremely popular with branch mint type collectors.

This impressive MS62 specimen exhibits sharply detailed design elements and the lustrous rose-gold surfaces are lightly marked for the grade. This coin will be a welcome addition to a fine collection or type set. Census: 28 in 62 (1 in 62+), 15 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25ZK, PCGS# 8515

1914-D Indian Half Eagle, MS65+ Rarely Seen Finer



3190 1914-D MS65+ PCGS. CAC. From a mintage of 247,000 pieces, the 1914-D Indian half eagle is not difficult to locate in lower Mint State grades, but the issue becomes rare at the MS65 grade level, and finer coins are virtually unobtainable. Fortunately, the 1914-D was a well-produced issue and most examples seen have sharp strikes and vivid color.

The present coin is a Plus-graded Gem, with frosty gold luster, minimal surface marks, and excellent eye appeal. The strike is bold, including a strong mintmark. Wisps of pale blue toning appear on the brilliant yellow surfaces of this spectacular specimen. Population: 18 in 65 (2 in 65+), 3 finer. CAC: 4 in 65, 0 finer (1/20). Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2013), lot 5889. NGC ID# 28DV, PCGS# 8528

1929 Five Dollar Indian, MS64 Series Key



3191 1929 MS64 PCGS. According to research by Roger Burdette, the 1929 half eagle was never available in substantial numbers, even though 662,000 pieces were minted. The 1929 five dollar was first distributed as part of the cent through twenty dollar set sent to the treasurer. The second distribution was 1,000 pieces sent to the treasurer "as part of a standing order to all the Mints." These coins were held by the mints "for special purposes and to supply coins to collectors" who requested them. In October 1931, 200,000 pieces were shipped in anticipation of holiday needs for gifts. Another 280,000 coins were shipped out in February and March 1933. According to Burdette:

"It is very likely that these coins were either internal Treasury transfers or subject to anti-hoarding rules of the Hoover administration. Given the pressure exerted on hoarders to return gold coins they could not prove were used in commerce, it is probable all of these were recovered and melted. Coins turned in to the government were not recorded by date/Mint, only by face value."

Only a few hundred 1929 fives exist today. Almost all examples are Uncirculated or AU. This upper-end MS64 has almost no obverse abrasions and only a few on the reverse (including a shallow planchet flake behind the eagle's head. The surfaces are bright and satiny, with a confirmed reddish tint to the otherwise bright yellow-gold color. The strike details are a bit soft on the lowest headdress feather, as seen on most known 1929s. Ex: Summer FUN Signature (Heritage, 7/2011), lot 4834. NGC ID# 28E2, PCGS# 8533

EARLY EAGLES

1797 Capped Bust Right Eagle, AU55 Elusive Small Eagle, BD-1 Variety Ex: Taraszka



3192 1797 Small Eagle, BD-1, R.5, AU55 PCGS. Bass-Dannreuther Die Štate b/b, with an advanced radial die crack in the obverse field from the rim at 4:30 and another, lighter crack from the same spot on the rim to the point of the bust. The design of the eagle was switched from the old Small Eagle reverse to the Heraldic Eagle motif partway through the year in 1797. John Dannreuther estimates between 1,250 and 3,615 examples of the Small Eagle type were struck before the changeover, based on delivery records, die states and emission sequences, and number of survivors. One die variety is known for the date and type. This was the only use of the obverse die, with its unbalanced arrangement of the stars in a 12x4 array. The reverse die was used previously to strike all the eagles in 1796. Interestingly, some of the 1796-dated coins were struck after the 1797 eagles were produced, as a single 1796 eagle is known with the reverse die in a later die state than its use on this issue. The 1797 BD-1 eagle has a surviving population of just 55-65 examples in all grades, making it the most elusive date of the Small Eagle design type.

The 1797 Capped Bust Right eagle was a favorite with pioneer collectors, who appreciated the rarity of the Small Eagle issue at an early date. An early auction appearance was lot 1616 of the Fifth Semi-Annual Sale (W. Elliot Woodward, 10/1864):

"1797 Small eagle reverse, four stars at the right; a splendid uncirculated piece, of the highest degree of rarity."

The lot realized \$40, more than any other early eagle in the sale, to prominent Ohio collector Heman Ely. Recent auction sales of AU55 PCGS specimens have gone as high as \$132,000.

The present coin traces its history to the collection of early eagle specialist Anthony Taraszka and it is the plate coin in his book *United States Ten Dollar Gold Eagles: 1795-1804*. This impressive Choice AU specimen exhibits just a trace of friction on the high points of the well-detailed design elements and the lightly abraded orange-gold surfaces retain much of their original satiny mint luster. Two small, horizontal marks near Liberty's ear are the only useful pedigree markers, and even they tend to blend in with the surrounding details of the nearby curls. The overall presentation is most attractive. This coin will be a welcome addition to a fine collection of early U.S. gold. NGC ID# BFYN, PCGS# 45716 Base PCGS# 8555

1799 BD-5 Eagle, AU58 Small Obverse Stars About Two Dozen Coins Extant



3193 1799 Small Obverse Stars, BD-5, R.6, AU58 PCGS. Bass-Dannreuther Die State c/a. The only known die state with two cracks through the top of LIBERTY, and another from the rim down the right side of star 8 to the cap. The obverse was previously used to strike BD-4 coins, while the reverse is in its only use here. John Dannreuther posits that it only struck between 1,250 and 1,750 pieces before quickly failing. The 1799 BD-5 eagle is rare in all grades with only a couple dozen examples believed extant. This nearly Uncirculated representative features reddish-gold color and considerable field reflectivity with partial mint luster around the devices. Strongly detailed, including over the eagle's neck feathers. A few faint adjustment marks occur at the central obverse. Hairlines and small marks are trivial in nature. PCGS# 45728 Base PCGS# 98562

1799 Small Obverse Stars Eagle, AU Details BD-7, Collectible 18th Century Type Coin



3194 1799 Small Obverse Stars, BD-7, R.3 — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. Bass-Dannreuther Die State f/d. This Small Obverse Stars 1799 eagle is identified by the close spacing between star 1 and the curl and star 9 and the Y, and the first S in STATES centered over the cloud. The present example is in a late state of the dies with cracks through (LIB)E(RTY), right of star 12, and from the rim to the eagle's left (facing) wing tip. About 250 to 350 BD-7 eagles are thought to survive from an estimated mintage of 10,000 to 15,000 pieces, making this the only accessible Small Obverse Stars die marriage and the second most collectible variant for the year overall after BD-10 (Large Obverse Stars). This example is unnaturally bright from cleaning, but every element of the design shows pinpoint definition and minimal friction. An affordable, high-grade 18th century gold type coin.

1803 Ten Dollar, BD-3, XF45 Small Reverse Stars, Old Holder



3195 1803 Small Reverse Stars, BD-3, R.4, XF45 PCGS. Bass-Dannreuther Die State b/c. Amazingly, the obverse die held together for all six 1803 varieties. The obverse is paired here with a reverse previously used in 1801 with small field stars, now in its final usage. Among all of the 1803 Small Reverse Stars varieties, BD-3 is the only readily available option. The others are scarce-torare — an important consideration for type collectors.

Housed in a previous generation green label holder, this bright, yellow-gold ten dollar gold displays occasional pale, apricot-gold accents and a sharp strike. Obverse stars 3 and 4 are rounded, as seen on most BD-3 examples. The reverse is especially sharp for the Choice XF level, with full breast feathers visible and only a bit of rub on the eagle's head and wingtips. Faint adjustment marks angle upwards across Liberty's bust drapery, almost entirely eliminated by strike. Seldom seen at the Choice XF level, this sharp coin is perhaps poised for a step up in grade. NGC ID# 2629, PCGS# 45737 Base PCGS# 8565

THE HARVEY B. JACOBSON, JR. COLLECTION OF LIBERTY EAGLES

1838 Ten Dollar, AU58 Scarce and Popular First-Year Issue





3196 1838 AU58 PCGS. The 1838 eagle is among the best known and most popular dates in the entire Liberty Head series. It is a first year of issue and marked a resumption of this denomination after it was discontinued in 1804. This first year of issue was also the largest denomination U.S. coin and remained so until the double eagle went into production in 1850.

Only 7,200 pieces were produced and it is likely that somewhere around 100 examples still exist. This survival figure includes a number of well-circulated coins. The 1838 becomes very scarce in About Uncirculated, especially with natural color and unimpaired mint luster. In properly graded AU58, the 1838 is rare with perhaps only five or six pieces extant. Uncirculated 1838 eagles are rare and there are no more than three (or perhaps four) traced. The two finest are from Pogue IV, lot 4063, which realized \$105,750 (it was earlier lot 3638 in the Heritage 2007 FUN Signature), and a coin sold by Heritage in the Central States Signature (4/2002), where it brought \$63,250, and does not appear to have traded since.

Very few PCGS-certified AU58 1838 eagles have traded in the

Very few PCGS-certified AU58 1858 eagles have traded in the last 20+ years. The most recent trade was for an especially nice example — approved by CAC — which set a record for this grade at \$64,625. The previous record price for an AU58 was \$54,625 set by the coin in the Entlich, White Oak, Gross and St. Andre Collections (Stack's, 3/2009), lot 5989, which had earlier brought \$23,000 in the Bass Collection, Part II (Bowers and Merena, 10/1999), lot 1314.

This is a beautiful coin whose fields show a mixture of semiprooflikeness and mint luster. The central strike details are strong, but the peripheral stars are not well-defined. One could wait years and not locate a better 1838 eagle than this piece.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262D, PCGS# 8575

1839/8 Type of 1838 Ten Dollar, MS63 One of the Finest Known A Highlight of This Collection





3197 1839/8 Large Letters, Head of 1838, MS63 PCGS. CAC. Varieties of the 1839 eagle are known with the Liberty Head design as seen on coins from 1838 (along with large letters on the reverse), while the second variant shows the Liberty Head design as seen in 1840 and uses small letters on the reverse. The Type of 1838 is considerably more available.

In terms of its overall rarity, this variety is actually a bit more common than one might expect. There are likely as many as 200+ pieces known and well-circulated examples are easily located. This issue is only marginally scarce in the lower grades of About Uncirculated although nice, problem-free pieces are not as easy to locate as they were a decade ago. In Uncirculated, this is a rare coin with an estimated 10 coins known. This includes a few exceptional pieces, led by the famous PCGS MS66 auctioned by Heritage for \$402,500 as part of the Gold Rush Collection in January 2005, and a PCGS MS65 that is owned by Oliver Jung and pedigreed to the Superior February 1998 sale, where it brought \$253,000.

This specific coin is from the famous James Stack Collection, which many advanced collectors and dealers regard as among the greatest (and most unheralded) assemblages of American coins sold in the 1990s. It realized \$28,600 as an unencapsulated coin in March 1995, and it was obtained via private treaty by Harvey Jacobson in 2012. The surfaces are medium yellow-gold and there are no important or detracting marks on either side. Central strike details are strong on each side. This is an undisputed highlight of the Jacobson Collection and it represents an important opportunity for the type collector or the Liberty Head eagle date specialist to acquire an exceptional piece that is clearly in the Condition Census both for the date and for the type.

Ex: James A. Stack, Sr.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 54XF, PCGS# 8576

1839 Type of 1840 Ten Dollar, AU58 Clearly in the Condition Census



3198 1839 Small Letters, Head of 1840, AU58 PCGS. The second variety of 1839 eagle is easily distinguishable from the first by Liberty's less curved lower neck, the position of the coronet point relative to star 6 and by the use of small letters on the reverse. This variant is at least four times scarcer overall than the Type of 1838; it is, in fact, the second rarest No Motto eagle from the Philadelphia mint after the 1863.

There are likely no more than 50 or so pieces known, and the number that are nice can be counted on one hand. Virtually every known example has been cleaned and most show deep, obtrusive abrasions that impact the eye appeal. There is one truly remarkable example known: an NGC MS64 from the Pittman Collection, Part Two (David Akers, 5/1988) that sold for \$143,000, and which many experts regard as one of the greatest individual coins of this design. A second Uncirculated piece is also known and is graded MS62 by PCGS. It has never appeared for sale at public auction.

The PCGS population of five coins graded AU58 is likely inflated by resubmissions. We can account for just three:

- **1.** The present coin, obtained from Douglas Winter Numismatics in 2003.
- 2. Harry Bass Collection (Bowers and Merena, 10/1999), lot 1316, where it sold for \$9,200; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/2006), lot 3481, where it realized \$69,000.
- **3. Ex: Temecula Collection**; FUN Signature (Heritage 1/2007), lot 3642, where it brought \$23,000.

It is important to note that no PCGS AU58 example of this variety has been sold at auction since January 2007. The last NGC AU58 realized \$47,000 in the Atlanta Signature (Heritage, 2/2014), lot 4154.

This is an original example whose fields are slightly reflective and yet retain significant portions of mint luster around the devices. Sharply detailed in the centers. This is an important opportunity to acquire a Condition Census example of one of the rarest No Motto Liberty Head eagles.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 54XJ, PCGS# 8580

1840 Ten Dollar, AU58 PCGS-Certified and CAC Approved



3199 1840 AU58 PCGS. CAC. The 1840 eagle is not a scarce issue based on the total number known (likely in the neighborhood of 175-200 coins) but it is a true *condition rarity*, as are so many of the Philadelphia Liberty Head issues from the 1840s.

PCGS has graded a scant six coins in AU58 (plus one AU58+), and this number seems fairly accurate. For many years, the 1840 appeared to be unique in Uncirculated, but a small number of higher-grade pieces have been uncovered in Europe during the last decade. The unquestioned finest known is these is ex: ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2014), lot 13242. That coin is graded MS62 by PCGS and it realized a record-setting \$35,250. The two or three other Uncirculated examples grade in the MS60 to MS61 range.

The Jacobson example is choice for the issue and it is one of just two approved by CAC in AU58 with a single coin approved higher than this (MS61). The surfaces are bright yellow-gold with significant reflectivity in the fields. Each side is peppered with numerous small to medium-sized abrasions. Population: 7 in 58 (1 in 58+), 5 finer. CAC: 3 in 58, 1 finer (12/19).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262G, PCGS# 8581

1841 Eagle, MS61 Rarely Seen in Uncirculated





3200 1841 MS61 PCGS. The 1841 eagle is similar in overall rarity to the 1840 but it is more available in higher grades. An estimated five to six pieces exist in Uncirculated with the finest the PCGS MS63 sold by Heritage for \$48,000 as lot 4224 in the Long Beach Signature (2/2018). There are two known in PCGS MS62: the Warren Miller coin which realized \$18,700 back in October 1995, and a coin sold by Heritage in May 2003 for \$12,650.

The Jacobson coin appears to be fresh to the market and presents the advanced collector with an opportunity to acquire a Condition Census 1841 eagle. The design elements are sharply detailed and the lustrous apricot-gold surfaces are lightly marked for the grade. It should be noted that the last auction appearance for a PCGS-certified MS61 of this date occurred nine years ago when Heritage sold a piece for \$12,650 in the Chicago Signature (8/2011), lot 7606.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262H, PCGS# 8582

1841-O Ten Dollar, XF45 Rare New Orleans Issue





3201 1841-O XF45 PCGS. Variety 1. According to Doug Winter's recent edition of Gold Coins of the New Orleans Mint, (1838-1909), the 1841-O "is the second rarest No Motto eagle from New Orleans in terms of the overall rarity and it is the single rarest in high grade, eclipsing even the 1859-O."

There are an estimated 65-75 examples known with fewer than 10 pieces in About Uncirculated. Only one survivor has a claim to Uncirculated status: the PCGS/CAC AU58 from the Eliasberg Collection, also the plate coin in the third edition of the Winter reference and a piece that is now housed in the New England Collection.

The Jacobson coin is clearly better than average for the issue, with only light wear on the design elements and lightly abraded orange-gold surfaces. The current PCGS population of 14 in XF45 seems severely inflated since only two examples in this grade have sold at auction since the middle of 2005. The rarity of the 1841-O is best illustrated by the fact that there is just one other No Motto ten dollar in this world-class set graded as low as XF45: the very rare 1864-S.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262J, PCGS# 8583

1842 Large Date Eagle, MS61 Seldom Encountered in Mint Condition



3202 1842 Large Date MS61 NGC. The Large Date variety is somewhat more common than the Small Date and it is another rarity in Uncirculated condition. There is a single Gem known, graded MS65 by PCGS, which is the finest known and it seems likely that this is the same coin that we sold as a PCGS MS64 in our October 1995 sale of the Warren Miller Collection. A second MS64 has also been graded by PCGS in addition to two coins in MS63 at this service. This a bright and notably well-struck coin. The shimmering yellow-gold surfaces show a few marks, but they are mostly scattered and only two are seen on the profile of Liberty. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262M, PCGS# 8584

1842 Small Date Eagle, MS61 Among the Finest of This Scarcer Variant



3203 1842 Small Date MS61 NGC. Varieties of 1842 eagle are known with a large date and a small date. The latter is scarcer although both are rare in Uncirculated. There are only an estimated five or six Uncirculated 1842 Small Date tens known; clearly the finest was from the Admiral Collection, graded MS63 by PCGS, which set a record for the date at \$55,200 (Heritage, 2/2018). The second finest appears to be the Bass II, lot 1324 coin, graded MS62 by PCGS, which sold for an impressive \$18,400 back in October 1999.

In addition to having a date size that is clearly smaller than its Large Date counterpart, this variety has a Plain 4; the Large Date sports a Crosslet 4. This is an obviously original coin that displays rich, deep reddish-gold color. A number of smaller abrasions are peppered over each side, as one would expect for a coin in this grade. Sharply defined.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262M, PCGS# 8585

1842-O Ten Dollar, AU58 Scarce Early O-Mint Issue





3204 1842-O AU58 PCGS. Variety 3. The 1842-O is a prime condition rarity from the subset of New Orleans No Motto eagles. It is not all that scarce from an overall perspective, but more than 75% of the surviving examples grade XF45 or lower. This issue is scarce in the higher About Uncirculated grades and it is rare in Uncirculated with only five or six examples known. The unquestioned finest known is a choice PCGS MS63 sold by Heritage for a record-setting \$288,000 as lot 4228 in their February 2018 auction of the Admiral Collection.

Among PCGS-certified AU58 coins, there have been only three auction sales of this issue since late-2004. The most recent is from Legend's September 2015 auction, lot 231, which brought \$18,800 for the Simpson-Hall coin. In April 2006, another example was sold by Heritage for \$15,065.

If a collector of New Orleans gold (or No Motto tens) can locate an Uncirculated 1842-O eagle, it will likely require four times as much as this coin will bring; most likely such a move would be an overbuy for most collectors. This is a sensible buy for the O-mint collector. The surfaces are bright green-gold, and the normally heavy abrasions are not present on this piece; just numerous small marks are peppered across the obverse and reverse. Well struck.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262N, PCGS# 8587

1843 Eagle, AU58 Tripled Date Variety





3205 1843 AU58 PCGS. The 1843 eagle is one of the more curious dates of the No Motto type. It has a reasonably high mintage of 75,462 pieces, yet it is a scarcer issue than one might expect. Even with a number of pieces recently located overseas, it remains rare in properly graded AU55 and very rare in AU58. In Uncirculated, this date is extremely rare with just two examples known to us: an NGC MS60 that brought \$19,550 in Stack's auction in July, 2008, lot 2076, and a PCGS MS61 that realized \$15,525 in Superior's April 2003 sale, lot 414. It is interesting to note that an Uncirculated 1843 eagle has not been available to collectors in over a decade.

The Jacobson example is one of just three pieces certified AU58 by PCGS and the most recent auction price realized for such a coin is from the Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 10/2018), lot 2141, which brought \$8,700. Another example was sold by Heritage as lot 14136 in the Long Beach Signature (9/2016), a coin that sold for \$14,688.

The Tripled Date variety appears to be about as available as the Normal Date for this issue and it likely should not garner any rarity premium. This variety isn't recognized by PCGS but it is designated by NGC. This Honey-gold near-Mint example exhibits just a trace of friction on the high points of the strongly impressed devices and the minimally abraded surfaces retain much of their original mint luster.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262P, PCGS# 8588

1843-O Ten Dollar, AU58 Popular Branch Mint Type Coin





3206 1843-O AU58 PCGS. Variety 1. The 1843-O is the second most available New Orleans eagle from the 1840s after the 1847-O, and this issue is plentiful in grades through AU55. However, in AU58 the 1843-O is scarce and this issue is rare in Uncirculated with only an estimated seven to nine examples believed extant. The finest known is an NGC MS64 sold by Heritage for \$58,650 in their 2006 ANA Auction.

The PCGS population of 14 in AU58 seems inflated by resubmissions; also, many of the examples graded as such are not choice. Among PCGS-certified pieces, since 2007 there have only been six auction sales of this issue in AU58; the most recent in August 2019.

This well-detailed near-Mint representative shows only a trace of high-point wear, with a spidery die crack from the eagle's wing through the tops of the letters in STATES. The lustrous yellow-gold surfaces are minimally abraded throughout. At its current level, nice AU examples of this date represent good value and this nice 1843-O would make an interesting type coin for the collector seeking a single high-quality No Motto eagle from this scarce southern facility.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262R, PCGS# 8589

1844 Ten Dollar, AU58 Rare, Low-Mintage Issue Likely a Condition Census Example



3207 1844 AU58 NGC. Despite a low mintage of only 6,361 pieces, the 1844 continues to be an underappreciated issue in the No Motto Liberty Head eagle series. Only 40 to 50+ examples are known in all grades, making the 1844 one of the rarest No Motto eagles from any mint.

When available, the typical 1844 ten dollar grades VF-XF, and AU coins are rare with fewer than 10 pieces known. There are two or three coins known in Uncirculated:

- **1. MS63 NGC**. Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4230, realized \$72,000.
- **2. MS61 NGC.** Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2016), lot 14138, realized \$30,550.
- **3. MS61 NGC.** Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/2018), lot 4169, realized \$28,805.

Virtually all of the higher grade 1844 eagles that exist have come onto the market in the past few years. These have come from different sources, so it is unlikely that there was a hoard, and none appear to have originated overseas.

As on all known 1844 eagles, the Jacobson coin shows a horizontal die line below star 1 and a series of vertical die scratches from the denticles into the fields near star 3. This near-Mint specimen displays lovely medium yellow-gold color and remaining areas of luster. Light wear appears on the high points.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2014), lot 6842, where it sold for \$8.813.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262S, PCGS# 8590

1844-O Ten Dollar, MS61 A Rare and Important Offering Fewer Than a Dozen Known in Uncirculated



3208 1844-O MS61 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. Ex: Simpson-Hall. The 1844-O is one of three New Orleans eagles from the 1840s with a mintage greater than 100,000 pieces. It is common in all circulated grades but it is rare in Uncirculated with only nine to 11 examples known. This includes a unique proof graded PR66 Cameo by NGC, which is regarded as one of the most valuable of any gold coins struck at the New Orleans mint.

The Jacobson coin was last sold as lot 233 in Legend's September 2015 auction, where it realized \$21,738. It was earlier in the Simpson and Hall Collections. It is one of just two Uncirculated 1844-O eagles approved by CAC with the other grading MS60.

To the best of our knowledge, this is the only PCGS-graded, non-shipwreck Uncirculated 1844-O eagle that is potentially available to collectors; all of the coins graded higher than this are off the market in tightly-held collections. Like many other 1844-O tens seen, this piece is also well-detailed. Abrasions are slight and only minimally effect the mint luster. Ex: Simpson-Hall.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 554G, PCGS# 8591

1845 Eagle, AU55 Housed in an Old Green Label Holder





3209 1845 AU55 PCGS. The 1845 is the second issue in a trio of difficult Philadelphia eagles struck in the mid-1840s. It is not as rare as the low-mintage 1844 but compares favorably to the 1846. An estimated 110 to 130+ pieces exist with most grading XF45 or lower. There are 15-18 examples known in About Uncirculated with most in the lower range. Properly graded AU55 to AU58 1845 eagles are rare and this date is exceedingly rare in Uncirculated with just two known: an NGC MS61 sold by Heritage for \$16,100 in the 2011 ANA auction, and the Warren Miller coin, graded MS62 by PCGS, which realized \$52,800 in March 2018 after it originally brought \$16,500 in October 1995.

Only two PCGS AU55 1845 eagles have sold at auction since 1997: this coin (see below for the provenance), and the Admiral coin that Heritage sold in February 2018 for \$9,000. With only three pieces graded higher than this by PCGS (two in AU58 and the previously mentioned MS62), this lovely 1845 eagle is clearly in the Condition Census for the issue. The well-detailed design elements are lightly worn and the yellow and rose-gold surfaces show only minor abrasions.

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2016), lot 14139, where it realized \$8,225.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262U, PCGS# 8592

1845-O Ten Dollar, MS62 Likely Second Finest Known First Time Offered at Public Auction





3210 1845-O Repunched Date MS62 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. The 1845-O is easily obtained in grades through AU53 but it is scarce in AU55 and AU58, especially with original color and choice surfaces. In Uncirculated, this is a rare coin with only seven or eight pieces extant. The finest known is clearly the glorious PCGS/CAC MS64 in the New England Collection, which has an enviable Clapp-Eliasberg-Bass pedigree and an unbroken provenance going back to 1890. The Jacobson coin is likely the second finest known. There is another example graded MS62 by PCGS but, in our opinion, it is not as choice as the present piece. The surfaces display lemonyellow centers with deeper rose color around the margins. The lustrous surfaces are surprisingly free from the usual heavy abrasions encountered on this issue.

This remarkable coin has never been offered for sale at auction and it was acquired by Mr. Jacobson from an eastern dealer. It is interesting to note that an NGC MS62 1845-O eagle recovered from the S.S. New York was auctioned by Stack's in July 2008 and sold for \$54,625. Serious collectors of New Orleans eagles will be well aware of the significance of this impressive 1845-O ten dollar. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262V, PCGS# 88593 Base PCGS# 8593

1846 Ten Dollar Liberty, AU55 Rarely Seen Finer





- 3211 1846 AU55 PCGS. The 1846 is similar in overall rarity to the 1845 but, if anything, it is even rarer in high grades. It is almost never seen finer than AU55 and there are just three or four pieces known in Uncirculated:
 - 1. MS62+ PCGS. Simpson / Hall Collection.
 - **2. MS62 NGC.** Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2008), lot 2215, where it sold for \$51,750; Dallas Signature (Heritage 10/2008), lot 3853, where it realized \$40,250.
 - 3. MS61 PCGS. Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2004), lot 7661, where it brought \$22,500 (as MS61 NGC).
 - **4. MS60 PCGS.** Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/1997), lot 704 (as MS60 NGC); Stack's (3/2018), lot 10367, realized \$40,800.

PCGS AU55 examples of this date have traded at auction with even less frequency than Uncirculated examples. Since the Bass III coin was sold in November 2000, just two pieces have sold at public auction; the most recent record is the coin Heritage sold for \$16,200 as lot 4231 in its February 2018 auction of the Admiral Collection. That coin was CAC-approved and housed in an old green label holder, so a better comparison is Goldberg Auctions (6/2014), lot 1890, a coin that sold for \$9,106. This lightly worn, minimally abraded Choice AU specimen should do at least as well. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262W, PCGS# 8594

1846/'5'-O Eagle, AU53 Housed in an Old Green Label Holder





3212 1846/5'-O AU53 PCGS. Variety 3. There is no such thing as an 1846/5-O *overdate* eagle. To clear up any confusion, here are the four known varieties of 1846-O eagles:

Variety 1: Normal date, normal mintmark placed far to the right

Variety 2: Normal date, lightly repunched mintmark placed far to the left

Variety 3: So-called "overdate," lightly repunched mintmark placed far to the left

Variety 4: So-called "overdate," mintmark placed far to the right

As a date, the 1846-O is scarce and underappreciated. It is very scarce in AU53 to AU55 and rare in AU58. Five or six pieces are known in Uncirculated and the two finest are an NGC MS63 Prooflike, which is ex: Clapp-Eliasberg-Bass, and a PCGS/CAC MS64 which is also ex: Clapp-Eliasberg-Bass. This is a well-struck example that shows numerous small to medium-sized abrasions over each side.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 554J, PCGS# 8595

1847 Ten Dollar, MS62 Ex: Garrett-Bass





3213 1847 MS62 PCGS. Ex: HW Bass, Jr. Collection. The 1847 has the highest mintage of any No Motto eagle and it is common in all circulated grades. In Uncirculated grades, it is scarcer than one might expect with just a few dozen known, mostly in the MS60 to MS62 range. Examples in MS63 are rare with just two or three coins accounted for and there are just two pieces finer: an NGC MS64 Prooflike that Heritage sold for \$27,600 as lot 6728 in its December 2004 auction, and the Eliasberg coin, lot 678, which was sold again in November 2000 and July 2004; the last appearance setting a record for the date at \$39,100.

No one other than Harry Bass appears to have ever studied No Motto eagles from Philadelphia and this field remains fertile for variety research. Given the fact that 862,258 eagles were coined in 1847, it is likely that there are a host of varieties still to be discovered.

This honey-gold type coin is well-struck, both in the centers and on the stars. Luster is extensive, and the eye appeal is exceptional for a No Motto eagle. A subtle pinscratch in the left obverse field limits the grade but not the eye appeal

Ex: Garrett Collection (Stack's, 3/1976), lot 382; Harry W. Bass, Jr. Collection, Part II (Bowers and Merena, 10/1999), lot 1367; Denver Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 5553.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262Z, PCGS# 8597

1847-O Eagle, MS61 Scarce in Mint Condition





3214 1847-O MS61 NGC. CAC. Variety 5. Given its record-setting mintage of 571,500 pieces, it is not surprising that the 1847-O is by far the most available No Motto eagle from New Orleans. It remains scarce in Uncirculated with around two dozen examples known. Most of the Uncirculated 1847-O eagles grade in the MS60 to MS62 range. This issue is rare in MS63 and very rare in MS64 with just three examples currently known.

There are two Auction Prices Realized for CAC-approved MS61 examples of the 1847-O, both of which were graded by PCGS. The more recent of the two is from Stack's Bowers Auction, 10/2018, which brought \$8,400; the other is from Stack's Bowers 2018 ANA, lot 1304, which realized \$10,200. Both of these are from the Fairmont Hoard, which has greatly impacted the number of No Motto tens available in the market. From what we have been able to discern, there were a small number of higher-grade New Orleans No Motto tens represented and almost nothing graded higher than MS61. This is an average or better detailed coin. The surfaces are slightly scuffed, but this has only slightly subdued the satiny mint luster.

Ex: ÁNA Signature (Heritage, 8/2007), lot 3159, where it brought \$7,187.50.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2632, PCGS# 8598

1848 Ten Dollar, MS64 Tied With One Other as Finest at PCGS Radiant Mint Luster





3215 1848 MS64 PCGS. CAC. The condition rarity of the No Motto eagle type can be well illustrated by the 1848. This issue has a comparatively high mintage of 145,484 pieces but the survival rate is well under 1%, and it is likely that as few as 400-500 examples exist in total. This date is seriously undervalued in properly graded AU58, and it is rare in Uncirculated with fewer than a dozen pieces currently known. Three or so of these grade MS63 and there are just two 1848 tens known in PCGS MS64: this coin (see below for pedigree information) and another — with CAC approval — the finer of this pair.

For the entire No Motto type, PCGS has graded 34 coins in MS64 plus another six in MS64+, two in MS65 and three in MS66 (12/19). This speaks volumes about the rarity of this type in high grades. It also says, loud and clear, that the high-end type collector is not likely to find a No Motto Liberty Head eagle in Gem condition since there are just five pieces extant and all of these, to the best of our knowledge, are off the market in tightly-held collections. This is a remarkable near-Gem. The surfaces exude a radiant mint luster that is not often seen on New Orleans gold. Abrasions are infrequent and none are of individual significance. Rich reddish-tinted golden color throughout.

Ex: Simpson / Hall; Regency Auction XIII (Legend, 9/2015), lot 237, where it realized \$29,375.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2633, PCGS# 8599

1848-O Eagle, MS62 With CAC Approval Condition Census Old Green Label Holder





3216 1848-O MS62 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. The 1848-O has the most unusual rarity profile of any New Orleans No Motto eagle. It is as scarce as its low mintage of 35,850 pieces would suggest, but it is actually a touch more available than one would presume in mint condition with as many as eight to 10 examples known. The best of these is the famous James Stack coin, which is the single finest No Motto eagle from the New Orleans mint; it grades MS66 PCGS and brought \$154,000 in Stack's sale of his collection in October 1994, lot 1298. There are also two or three PCGS MS64s, a single NGC MS64, one PCGS-certified MS63 and two pieces that have been graded MS62 by PCGS.

We are not aware of the earlier provenance of this specific coin but it is listed in the Condition Census in Doug Winter's recent book on New Orleans gold coins. It certainly has all the "bells and whistles" that a collector could hope for as it is housed in an old green label holder and it is the only MS62 1848-O eagle from either grading service approved by CAC.

This well-detailed MS62 specimen shows just a touch of the usual softness on the star centers, but the lustrous orange-gold surfaces are lightly marked and appealing. This is one of our favorite coins in the Jacobson Collection and it should no doubt receive considerable attention from New Orleans ten dollar specialists.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2634, PCGS# 8600

1849 Ten Dollar, MS64 Among the Finest Known



3217 1849 MS64 PCGS. CAC. The 1849 is the second most available Philadelphia eagle from this decade. A few dozen pieces exist in Uncirculated but most are in the MS60 to MS62 grade range. This date is rare in MS63 and it is very rare in MS64 with only three PCGS examples known and none finer. The listing of those known to us in MS64:

1. MS64 PCGS. Ex: Warren Miller / Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 10/1995), lot 6266, where it brought \$23,100.

2. MS64 PCGS. Logan / Steinberg Collections (Bowers and Merena, 11/2002), lot 3355, where it sold for \$14,950; Pre-Long Beach Elite Auction (Superior, 5/2003), lot 3758, where it realized \$18,400.

3. MS64 PCGS. ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2013), lot 5877, as MS64 NGC, CAC, where it brought \$32,900. **Jacobson Collection.**

4. MS64 NGC. Freedom Collection / FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2007), lot 3643, where it sold for \$23,000.

The Eliasberg coin, lot 682, is untraced but it is believed to grade MS64 by today's standards. It sold for \$11,550 in October, 1982.

Both sides of this MS64 example display semiprooflike orange-gold surfaces with good field-device contrast, stronger on the reverse. The obverse die was close to failure, giving a "bulging" look on the coin's left obverse and resulting in weakness on the stars. The central obverse and the reverse, on the other hand, are sharply struck. Raised die lines are visible in the arc of the eagle's neck and left (facing) wing. A few small contact marks on Liberty's cheek and neck preclude an even finer grade. This coin set a record price for a business strike 1849 eagle when it was last offered by Heritage seven years ago and it remains an important opportunity for the type collector to acquire a high quality No Motto eagle.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2635, PCGS# 8601

1849-O Ten Dollar, MS60 Just Three or Four Mint State Pieces



3218 1849-O MS60 PCGS. CAC. Variety 3. Ex: Clapp/Eliasberg. The 1849-O is the third rarest No Motto eagle in high grades from New Orleans after the 1841-O and the 1859-O. There are fewer than 20 pieces known in About Uncirculated and this date is very rare in Uncirculated with just three or four examples known. There are two in MS60 (both PCGS), and two graded MS61 (one each at PCGS and NGC). The Jacobson example is the only Uncirculated 1849-O eagle to have been approved by CAC and it is superbly pedigreed as well.

This is a difficult coin to properly value as the last Uncirculated 1849-O eagle to sell at auction traded twice back in 2007; once for \$20,125 and another time for \$20,700. To add another, perhaps better perspective, the highest graded example at PCGS (an MS61) brought \$21,850 in the Bass IV Auction (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000). This was a strong price at the time for an MS61 New Orleans eagle; even one as rare as the 1849-O.

This well-detailed Mint State example exhibits just a trace of softness on the stars and the butter-gold surfaces are minimally abraded for the grade. With the two finest examples of this date tied-up in the two finest collections of New Orleans eagles (Tyrant and New England) it is safe to state that this is potentially a once-ina-generation opportunity to acquire an Uncirculated 1849-O eagle. Ex: Clapp Collection; Louis Eliasberg Gold Collection (Bowers and Ruddy, 10/1982), lot 683, where it realized \$1,760; prominent Louisiana Collection; acquired by Harvey Jacobson in 2013 via private treaty.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2636, PCGS# 8602

1850 Large Date Ten, MS63+ Condition Census Example Ex: Bass



3219 1850 Large Date MS63+ PCGS CAC. The 1850 Large Date is at least twice as common as the 1850 Small Date in terms of overall rarity and it is also more available in high grades. There are as many a dozen examples known in Uncirculated with the three finest: a PCGS MS64 (illustrated on PCGS Coinfacts), a high-end PCGS/CAC MS63 that brought a record \$48,000 when it was offered as lot 4234 in the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2018), and the Jacobson example — graded MS63+ by PCGS and approved by CAC — obtained via private treaty from Southern Coins at the 2013 FUN show.

When David Akers penned his seminal work on eagles in 1975, he stated "I have seen only three uncirculated examples and my notes indicate that they were all just average, bagmarked uncirculated specimens, not at all choice." This indicates that the majority of the choice 1850 Large Date eagles have likely been discovered in the past four decades, most likely from overseas sources. Many of the choicer examples of this variety show mintmade spots in the planchet that appear to be impurities. These are seen far more often than on any other Philadelphia eagle from this era. This piece lacks those mint-made spots, and further shows bright yellow-gold surfaces that are moderately reflective, a result of the die striations seen in the fields on each side. A few light field marks are scattered across each side.

Ex: Bartle Collection (Stack's, 10/1984), lot 1120; Harry Bass Collection, Part IV (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000), lot 639.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2637, PCGS# 8603

1850 Small Date Ten Dollar, MS61 Rare Issue in Mint State





3220 1850 Small Date MS61 PCGS. Ex: HW Bass, Jr. Collection. The 1850 Small Date is at least twice as scarce as the Large Date variety and it is very rare in Uncirculated with just four or five pieces known. Virtually every Uncirculated 1850 Small Date eagle is in the MS60 to MS61 grade range and the finest known — by a huge margin — is the PCGS MS63 from the Admiral Collection sold by Heritage for a record-setting \$38,400 in February 2018.

Not a single PCGS MS61 has sold at auction since the Kingswood Auction (8/2002), lot 1865, a coin that realized \$11,213. In the last decade, just four NGC MS61 1850 Small Date eagles have crossed the auction block with the most recent sale in the 2015 ANA Auction (Heritage, 8/2015), lot 6232, where it brought \$10,575.

The 1850 Small Date is among the more overlooked No Motto eagles from any mint as evidenced by the fact that PCGS, as of December 2019, has graded just five pieces in Uncirculated with four coins finer than this one. As always, the stars are softly struck, but the central devices are well-detailed and the lustrous orange-gold surfaces show the minimum number of minor contact marks for the grade.

Purchased by Harry Bass from Stanley Kesselman, August 30, 1971; Harry Bass Collection, Part III (Bowers and Merena, 5/2000), lot 615.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2638, PCGS# 8604

1850-O Ten Dollar, AU58 NGC Minimally Abraded Example





3221 1850-O AU58 NGC. Variety 1. The 1850-O is a scarce coin in any grade above Extremely Fine, and AU55 to AU58 examples are about as nice as this issue is generally seen. In Uncirculated, the 1850-O is rare with just three or four pieces known. There are two outstanding 1850-O eagles:

1. MS65 PCGS. George Earle Collection (Henry Chapman, 6/1912); Clapp Collection; Eliasberg Gold Collection (Bowers and Ruddy, 10/1982), lot 686, where it sold for \$37,400; Auction '86 (Superior's section, 8/1986), lot 1421, where it brought \$29,700; Pre-Long Beach Sale (Superior, 5/1999), lot 3666, where it realized \$100,625; New England Collection via Douglas Winter Numismatics. 2. MS64 PCGS. Tyrant Collection.

Since June 2005, there have been only four NGC-certified AU58 1850-O eagles sold at auction. The most recent auction appearance was in the Beverly Hills Signature (Heritage, 11/2014), lot 4013, where that coin realized \$6,169. As seen on most higher grade examples, the fields retain significant reflectivity; in this case only subdued by light abrasions (not the usual heavy marks common to this issue). The surfaces are original with deeper red patina surrounding the devices on each side.

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2007), lot 3164, where it sold for \$6,325.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2639, PCGS# 8605

1851 Liberty Eagle, AU58 More Available No Motto Date



NGC ID# 263A, PCGS# 8606



3222 1851 AU58 PCGS. Because examples have been uncovered in overseas sources over the last few decades, the 1851 has become a more available date than it was in the past. However, it is not easy to locate in properly graded AU58 and remains quite scarce in Uncirculated condition. There are just two or three pieces known in MS63 and a single coin has been graded MS64 by PCGS. This well-preserved example has even orange-gold coloration and significant luster remaining around the devices. Sharply struck in the centers with slight softness noted on the peripheral stars.

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2006), lot 3750; FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2008), lot 4405

Signature (Heritage, 1/2008), lot 4405. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles.

1851-O Ten Dollar, MS64 Only Two Certified in This Grade by PCGS Sole Near-Gem With CAC Approval





3223 1851-O MS64 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. Ex: HW Bass, Jr. Collection. The variety is confirmed by the presence of a short die break above the first T in STATES on the reverse. The 1851-O is the second most available No Motto eagle from New Orleans after the 1847-O. It is far scarcer in Uncirculated than most casual collectors realize and there are likely as few as nine or 10 pieces extant in Uncirculated condition.

The three finest known 1851-O eagles are as follows:

1. MS64 PCGS / CAC. Elmer Sears to John H. Clapp, 1920; Clapp Collection; Eliasberg Gold Collection (Bowers and Ruddy, 10/1982), lot 688, where it sold for \$24,200; Harry Bass Collection (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000), lot 645, where it realized \$29,900; Jacobson Collection.

2. MS64 PCGS. Midwestern Collection, Douglas Winter Numismatics, 2005; Tyrant Collection.

3. MS64 NGC. Current location unknown.

The example in the Jacobson Collection is likely the finest known 1851-O eagle and it certainly has the best pedigree of this date and mintmark combination with an uninterrupted chain dating back exactly 100 years.

There are only a handful of No Motto New Orleans eagles graded MS64 or finer, and this 1851-O is one of an even smaller number that will be available to advanced collectors. The mint luster on this piece is nothing less than incredible. It is bright and frosted with slightly reflective fields and pronounced yellow-gold color. Only the slightest abrasions are seen scattered throughout the fields on each side.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263B, PCGS# 8607

1852 Ten Dollar, MS62 Surprisingly Scarce Issue





3224 1852 MS62 PCGS. The 1852 eagle is common in all circulated grades, but it is surprisingly scarce in Uncirculated with an estimated 15-20 pieces known. Nearly all of these grade MS60 to MS61. Properly graded MS62s are rare as evidenced by the fact that PCGS has graded just four examples in this grade plus two in MS62+ (12/19).

The finest known 1852 eagle, by a huge margin, is the fabulous PCGS MS66 which was last sold for \$253,000 by Heritage in the Gold Rush Collection in January 2005. Many experts regard this coin as the single finest No Motto eagle in existence. This attractive MS62 specimen is a memorable coin in its own right, with well-detailed design elements, vibrant mint luster, and vivid orange-gold surfaces that show only minor signs of contact. Population: 6 in 62 (2 in 62+), 1 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263C, PCGS# 8608

1852-O Eagle, AU55 Scarce, Low-Mintage Issue





3225 1852-O AU55 PCGS. Variety 1. After a large production of eagles at the New Orleans mint in 1851, only 18,000 coins were made in 1852. Today there are an estimated 125-150 examples known with around three dozen in About Uncirculated. Very few of the AU examples are choice and the PCGS population of 19 in AU55 seems inflated considering how few have traded at auction. In AU58, the 1852-O eagle is rare and this date is very rare in Uncirculated with just three pieces known. The two finest known 1852-O tens have both traded in recent years and the sole NGC MS61 brought \$84,000 in February 2018, while a PCGS MS60 in an old green label holder set a record for this date when it brought \$111,625 in November, 2016.

A total of four PCGS-certified AU55 examples of this date have sold at auction since November 2011. The last occurred in August 2015 when Heritage sold one for \$7,638. Interestingly, two sales in excess of \$10,000 occurred before this with a high of \$10,575 in January 2014.

With just three pieces graded in AU58, one in AU58+ and the MS60 (mentioned above) graded higher than this piece, the Jacobson coin represents essentially the finest available quality for the issue. Lightly worn and minimally abraded, the eye appeal of this remarkable coin matches its high technical quality.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263D, PCGS# 8609

1853 Ten Dollar, MS61 With CAC Approval





3226 1853 MS61 PCGS. CAC. Overseas discoveries of large quantities of Philadelphia Mint No Motto eagles has made the 1853 far more available in lower Uncirculated grades than they were even a decade ago. As with virtually all dates of the No Motto type, MS62 1853 eagles remain scarce, and this date is rare in MS63 or finer. The finest known is a single piece graded MS64+ by PCGS; a coin that is plated on PCGS CoinFacts.

Despite the scarcity of this date in MS61, it remains affordable. To our way of thinking, a coin such as this represents very good value. The gleaming yellow-gold surfaces of this attractive Mint State example are minimally marked for the grade and the design elements are well-detailed throughout.

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2013), lot 5245, where it brought \$4,553.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# C82G, PCGS# 8610

1853/'2' Eagle, AU58 Approved by CAC





3227 1853/'2' AU58 PCGS. CAC. The years have not been kind to this variety. First, it was debunked as an overdate along with its counterpart the 1853/'2' double eagle. Second, significant quantities of nice pieces were found in overseas hoards, and today this formerly scarce issue is now readily available in grades through AU55. Properly graded AU58s remain scarce and this issue is still rare in Uncirculated with an estimated half dozen pieces known.

For most specialists, a nice AU58 like this is plenty of coin for the issue, especially given the fact that an Uncirculated piece — if available — is still likely to bring a low five-figure price. This impressive near-Mint example displays just a trace of friction on the well-detailed design elements and the lightly abraded peach-gold surfaces retain much of their original mint luster.

The most recent sale of a CAC-approved 1853/'2' eagle in PCGS AU58 was Stack's Bowers 2018 ANA, lot 4201, which brought \$4,560.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2012), lot 6476, where it brought \$6,325.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# C82G, PCGS# 8611

1853-O Ten Dollar, AU58+ A Conditionally Scarce Issue



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3228 1853-O AU58+ PCGS. Variety 3. This is a common date in grades through AU55 but it is scarce in AU58 and rare in Uncirculated with just four or five examples known, all in the MS60 to MS61 grade range. An interesting feature of this issue is that the price level of the 1853-O in AU58 is not in line with its availability. This date sells for a much higher price in AU58 than issues such as the 1844-O, 1845-O, and 1848-O; yet it is more available. PCGS has a current population of 21 pieces in AU58 (plus two AU58+), as of December 2019. This number is likely inflated by resubmissions, but there are enough auction records in the last five years to suggest that the actual number of distinct coins may not be that far off. This date typically sold for \$5,000 to \$6,000 in AU58 until June 2014 when a coin brought \$10,575; since then, three of the last four auction prices realized have been for more than \$10,000. This piece displays original reddish-green tinted surfaces with minimal abrasions and few of the die chips normally associated with this issue.

The Jacobson coin is one of two pieces graded AU58+ by PCGS. With just four examples graded higher by PCGS (one MS60 and three MS61) the advanced collector of New Orleans eagles is not likely to find a finer 1853-O than this.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263F, PCGS# 8612

1854 Ten Dollar, MS61 Rare in Uncirculated





3229 1854 MS61 PCGS. The 1854 is far scarcer than the other Philadelphia eagles struck from 1850 through 1856 and it remains rare in Uncirculated with an estimated seven to eight pieces known. PCGS shows that three example have been graded MS64 (with none finer) but we are aware of just one: the very attractive example plated on PCGS CoinFacts.

There are just two auction records for this date as a PCGS-certified MS61. The more recent is Legend's Regency Auction (7/2018, lot 478), which brought \$8,519, while the coin in the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/2017), lot 3844 brought \$8,225. Both of these coins were approved by CAC.

This nice example represents an unusual opportunity to acquire an 1854 eagle that is likely at the lower end of the Condition Census for this issue. The design elements are well-detailed, with some of the usual softness on the stars, and the peach-gold surfaces are lustrous and attractive. A horizontal scratch in the obverse field, near star 2, is the only mark of note.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263G, PCGS# 8613

1854-O Small Date Ten Dollar, AU55 Scarcer of the Two Date Variants





3230 1854-O Small Date AU55 PCGS. Variety 1. This variety was once regarded as the more common of the two 1854-O eagles, but it is now clear that the Small Date is noticeably scarcer than the Large Date. The 1854-O Small Date is not often seen finer than AU55 and it is rare in Uncirculated grades with just four or five pieces known; all of which are in the MS60 to MS61 range. The nicest example to sell in recent memory was from the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4241, graded MS61 by NGC, which brought a record \$26,400. Not a single PCGS AU55 1854-O Small Date has sold at auction since April 2011, and since that date just two coins graded AU58 by PCGS have sold. The 1854-O Small Date is clearly one of the most undervalued No Motto eagles from New Orleans. The light reddish-tinted surfaces retain a significant amount of mint luster on each side. Only lightly abraded. Population: 15 in 55, 10 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263H, PCGS# 8614

1854-O Large Date Ten Dollar, AU58 Rare in Uncirculated





3231 1854-O Large Date AU58 PCGS. Variety 2. The Large Date 1854-O ten dollar is more available than its Small Date counterpart, but it has always been more highly regarded. The Large Date has become less rare in lower-to-mid About Uncirculated condition than it was a decade ago due to examples that were discovered in European banks; however, it remains very scarce in AU58 and rare in Uncirculated. There are two examples known in MS63 (an NGC coin in the Tyrant Collection and a PCGS MS63 in the New England Collection) as well as another five to seven coins in the MS60 to MS61 range.

Not a single PCGS AU58 1854-O Large Date eagle has appeared at auction since May 2005, which would lead most observers to conclude that the PCGS population of 18 coins in this grade is significantly inflated by resubmissions. The surfaces show the usual "sunken" appearance, which weakens the central details. Significant mint luster remains and there are no abrasions worthy of mention, just the usual die cracks associated with this later state of the Variety 2 die pairing.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263], PCGS# 98614

1854-S Ten Dollar, MS61 One of the Finest Known, CAC Endorsed



3232 1854-S MS61 PCGS. CAC. The 1854-S is a numismatically significant issue as it is the first eagle struck at the newly-opened San Francisco mint. It is common in circulated grades and dozens of nice About Uncirculated coins have come onto the market in the last few years from overseas sources. In Uncirculated grades, however, the 1854-S is rare with only three or four examples currently known. While the finest graded is a single PCGS MS62, we believe that the Jacobson coin is clearly finer given its exceptional originality and choice surfaces.

None of the four coins graded MS61 have ever come up for sale at auction until now. The PCGS MS62 mentioned above brought \$35,250 in the 2016 FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2016), lot 5618.

For the collector of San Francisco eagles or the first-year-of-issue gold specialist, this is an opportunity to acquire a truly exceptional 1854-S eagle. The design elements are well-detailed and the lustrous orange-gold surfaces show the expected number of minor contact marks for the grade.

Acquired from Douglas Winter Numismatics at the 2015 FUN Convention.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263K, PCGS# 8615

1855 Ten Dollar, MS61 Conditionally Challenging P-Mint





3233 1855 MS61 NGC. The 1855 is a common date in the No Motto series and it is easily located in all circulated grades. It is scarce in Uncirculated condition with a few dozen examples known. These are mostly in the MS60 to MS61 grade range, many of which have been located in overseas bank holdings and have been repatriated. The 1855 eagle remains rare in MS63 or finer and the best piece currently known is a PCGS MS64+ from the Simpson / Hall Collection. Two MS61 1855 eagles were sold at auction in 2019 and they brought \$4,440 (for the NGC coin) and \$4,560 (for the PCGS coin).

This particular coin shows strong central definition, but several peripheral stars are not completely brought up. The bright yellow-gold surfaces are only lightly abraded.

Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 10/2006), lot 2929, where it realized \$4 025

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263L, PCGS# 8616

1855-O Ten Dollar, AU50 Scarcer O-Mint No Motto Eagle





3234 1855-O AU50 PCGS. Variety 2. In the subset of No Motto New Orleans eagles, the 1855-O is tied for third scarcest in overall rarity and tied for fourth scarcest in high-grade rarity. The best indication of this date's scarcity in higher grades is that this piece is among the lowest graded No Motto New Orleans eagles in the Jacobson Collection — only the 1841-O (an XF45) grades below AU50.

There has not been a single PCGS-certified AU50 example of this date sold at auction since January 2009, and only one PCGS AU53 was sold in that same time frame (in January 2015) for \$5,640.

Light friction is seen over each side and the coin is uniform yellow-gold. A few small abrasions are scattered across each side. Given the fact that the coin is likely to sell for less than \$5,000, it ranks as one of the better values in the entire Jacobson Collection. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263M, PCGS# 8617

1855-S Eagle, AU58 None Graded Finer Among the Finest Known





3235 1855-S AU58 NGC. The 1855-S is among the scarcest No Motto eagles struck in San Francisco. Of the 9,000 pieces struck, only 65 to 75 examples are estimated known today; most are in lower grades. There are likely not more than 10 coins known in About Uncirculated and only two or three of these grade AU55 or higher. This date remains unknown in Uncirculated and it is one of the very few No Motto eagles from any mint that will prove impossible to find in MS60 or finer.

In addition to a condition rarity, this date is also an *appearance rarity*. Virtually every known 1855-S eagle is excessively abraded and not more than a tiny handful display natural color. The Jacobson coin shows more extensive — and more attractive — color than on virtually any 1855-S ten dollar currently accounted for.

Only two AÚ58 1855-S eagles have ever been offered for sale at auction: this coin (see below for the provenance), and another piece that brought \$14,100 in the Atlanta Signature (Heritage, 2/2014), lot 4168. The best PCGS example ever offered was the Warren Miller coin, which Heritage sold in October 1995 for a then-reasonable \$5,060.

Unquestionably original deep orange-gold surfaces make this a coin worthy of pursuit. There are a number of abrasions on each side, as one would expect. The savvy collector of Liberty Head eagles will realize, as did Harvey Jacobson, that this is an unimprovable example for the issue.

Ex: Donald E. Bently Collection (Heritage 3/2014), lot 30357, where it brought \$17,625.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263N, PCGS# 8618

1856 Ten Dollar, MS62 Attractive Price/Value Grade Level



3236 1856 MS62 PCGS. The 1856 eagle is similar in high-grade rarity to the 1855. It is moderately scarce in lower Uncirculated grades, scarce in properly graded MS62, rare in MS63, and currently unique any finer with a single MS64 coin graded by PCGS.

The PCGS population figure of nine coins in MS62 is likely inflated by resubmissions. Until two examples were auctioned in 2018, an MS62 1856 eagle had not sold at auction since this coin was sold in 2008. The most recent auction price realized is for the coin in Stack's Bowers 2018 ANA, lot 4217, where a nice CAC-approved PCGS coin brought \$7,500.

The MS62 grade is a sensible one for this issue — and for the No Motto type on the whole — as the coins assigned this grade tend have a pleasing appearance and the price at the next grade level is often a three-fold increase. This piece has a spot of vivid magenta on the hair above Liberty's ear, nearly in the center of the lustrous yellow-gold obverse. The devices are nicely struck with numerous minor abrasions in the fields.

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2006), lot 3753; FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2008), lot 4414, where it realized \$5,606.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263P, PCGS# 8619

1856-O Ten Dollar, AU58 Outstanding Luster Condition Census Quality



3237 1856-O AU58 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. Seen here with the seldom-seen lower mintmark reverse. The 1856-O eagle is similar in overall and high-grade rarity to the 1852-O and the 1855-O. There are an estimated 100-125 pieces known in all grades with fewer than two dozen in About Uncirculated and only three specimens are known in Uncirculated. All three of the Uncirculated coins grade MS60 and the only one to trade in recent years was an NGC/CAC example that brought \$47,000 in Stack's Bowers Baltimore Auction (11/2016), lot 2154.

PCGS shows a population of eight grading events in AU58 (as well as one AU58+), but this is likely inflated by resubmissions as only one example has traded at auction since 2000. The 1856-O eagle is rare in properly graded AU58 and there are only a few known (of which this coin is one) with original color and choice surfaces. There is a total of three coins in AU58 that have also been approved by CAC.

Two of the three Uncirculated examples of this date are off the market in tightly-held collections (Tyrant and New England) while the third, graded MS60 by NGC, has not been seen since it was sold at auction by Heritage in February 2009. This near-Mint coin displays yellow-gold luster in the protected peripheral regions, while slight friction in the open fields and over the design high points prevents a full Mint State designation. Eye appeal exceeds expectations, and the only notable strike weakness is seen on stars 1, 2, and 6.

Ex: Twelve Oaks Collection (Heritage, 9/2016), lot 14144, where it brought \$10,868.75; Cajun Collection; acquired in November 2018 via private treaty from Douglas Winter Numismatics.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263R, PCGS# 8620

1856-S Eagle, MS60 Still Scarce in Uncirculated



3238 1856-S MS60 PCGS. To the surprise of many students of this series, the rarity of this date in higher grades was not greatly inflated by the SSCA #2 recovery and there are still probably not more than 10 Uncirculated 1856-S eagles known. The finest remains the PCGS MS63 from the December 2000 Christie's sale that featured highlights from the first recovery of the S.S. Central America.

Only one PCGS MS60 example of this date has ever sold at auction and it brought \$14,950 in the Pre-FUN Elite Auction (Superior, 1/2004), lot 945. Two PCGS-certified MS61s have been auctioned; the most recent record is from David Lawrence (4/2018), lot 4367, a coin that brought \$12,000.

This bright yellow-gold example shows just a hint of reddish patina. The fields are not quite reflective, but certainly brighter than expected. Lightly abraded and fully struck.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263S, PCGS# 8621

1857 Ten Dollar, AU50 Housed in a Rare Regency Holder



3239 1857 AU50 NGC. Overdate. Breen 6925. Thought by Breen to be an overdate, but not acknowledged as such today. As a result of recent discoveries in overseas holdings, this date has become more available in Extremely Fine and About Uncirculated grades. The 1857 remains scarce in properly graded AU58 and it is rare in Uncirculated with just four or five pieces known. The finest 1857 eagle is a sole PCGS MS62, sold by Heritage for \$29,900 as lot 30494 in their 2005 FUN Signature. This date remains a good value at current levels and despite being much scarcer than, say, an 1852 it commands just a small premium in the lower AU grades. This is an original coin with pleasing, muted reddish-gold color and occasional glimpses of luster around the devices. Lightly abraded. Housed in an old non-rectangular, oversized PCGS Regency holder. Extended to the control of the state of the sta

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2011), lot 7040.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles.
NGC ID# 55GV, PCGS# 8622

1857-O Eagle, AU58 None Graded Higher at Either Service



3240 1857-O AU58 PCGS. Variety 1. The 1857-O has the third lowest mintage of any No Motto eagle from New Orleans and it is a scarce date in any grade with an estimated 100-125 examples known. While there are more than two dozen pieces extant in About Uncirculated, virtually all are in the lower range of this grade. An AU58 is rare with only six or seven coins accounted for. The 1857-O remains unknown in Uncirculated condition and it is one of just two dates from this mint (along with the 1841-O) that is currently without a single Mint State coin encapsulated by either service.

Since the beginning of 2005, there have been six prices realized at auction for PCGS-certified AU58 coins, with the high-water mark of \$40,250 set by Heritage in October 2006 at \$40,250. There has been just one sale since January 2009 and this was for a CAC-approved piece that realized \$22,325 in the ANA Signature (Heritage, 1/2014), lot 5667. This piece is much better struck than usually seen, and the bright yellow-gold surfaces show no singularly important abrasions. This is an important coin and there likely will be few opportunities in the coming years to bid on another PCGS-certified AU58 example of this scarce issue.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263U, PCGS# 8623

1857-S Ten Dollar, AU53 CAC Approved



3241 1857-S AU53 PCGS. CAC. Because so many coins were located on the S.S. Central America, the 1857-S is the most available No Motto eagle from San Francisco in higher grades, but it is more difficult to locate from the perspective of overall rarity than many casual collectors believe.

Just over 100 examples of this issue exist in all grades with most either graded AU50 and below or AU58 and above. Curiously, PCGS has graded very few pieces in AU53 (just four currently), and the present population of 13 examples in AU55 is likely made higher by resubmissions.

This original reddish-gold example shows a few more noticeable marks from its time in circulation, but significant mint luster remains around the devices. This is a nice example and an affordable coin that represents good value for the date.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263V, PCGS# 8624

1858 Eagle, CAC Approved AU53 An Erstwhile Major Series Rarity





3242 1858 AU53 PCGS. CAC. As recently as the 1970s, the 1858 was regarded as a major rarity in the Liberty Head eagle series but the population of this date has almost doubled, likely due to coins located in overseas sources. Today there are around 50 or so examples known from an original mintage of just 2,521 pieces. The 1858 is now more available than issues such as the 1859-O, 1859-S, 1860-S, 1863, and the 1865-S Normal Date.

The 1858 remains rare in About Uncirculated with fewer than 10 specimens known and it is almost never seen above AU55. There are two examples known in Uncirculated:

1. MS64+ PCGS. MTB, bought over the counter in 1972; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 10/1995), lot 6309, where it brought \$114,950; Central States Signature (Heritage, 5/2007), lot 2343, where it sold for \$276,000; Simpson / Hall Collection; Tyrant Collection.

2. MS61 PCGS. ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/1997), lot 7753, where it realized \$17,250; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4248, where it sold for \$27,600 (as an NGC MS61); David Lawrence Rare Coins (9/2018), lot 9277, where it brought \$60,350; DL Hansen Collection.

This is about as nice an example as one is likely to locate and there are none graded higher than this that have been approved by CAC. This is an original coin with significant reddish-gold color present overall and even deeper hues surrounding and within the recesses of the devices. Numerous small to medium-sized abrasions are peppered across each side.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263W, PCGS# 8625

1858-O Ten Dollar, MS63 Exceptional Coin and Approved by CAC





3243 1858-O MS63 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. The 1858-O is the second most available New Orleans eagle from the 1850s, but it is rare in Uncirculated with only nine to 12 pieces currently known. A number of these coins were located in the little-known but highly important Jackson, Tennessee hoard found in 1985. That is, in all likelihood, where this piece came from.

Harvey Jacobson purchased this coin via private treaty at the 2012 ANA and it has never appeared at auction. It is the single finest piece graded at PCGS and the only other coin that is comparable is an NGC MS63 Prooflike in the Tyrant Collection, formerly lot 706 in the Eliasberg Gold Auction.

There has been just one solitary Uncirculated auction record for this date since early 2007: the PCGS MS62+ that brought \$36,000 in the Stack's Bowers 2018 ANA sale. The present coin is significantly finer and it should realize considerably more. The design elements of this attractive Select specimen are sharply detailed in most areas, with just a touch of softness on the lower star centers. The vivid orange-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster and only minor signs of contact are evident. Eye appeal is outstanding. Population: 1 in 63, 0 finer. CAC: 1 in 63, 0 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55GX, PCGS# 8626

1858-S Eagle, AU58 Condition Census One of Only Three Graded, None Higher





3244 1858-S AU58 PCGS. There are numerous underrated dates in the No Motto Liberty Head eagle series and the 1858-S is foremost among these. It is scarcer than its mintage of 11,800 pieces suggests and it is likely that just four or five dozen coins are known today. There are 10 or so examples known in About Uncirculated with no more than three or four in AU55 or finer. No Uncirculated 1858-S eagles exist. The single finest we have seen is the Hansen Collection coin which was sold as lot 426 in Legend's Regency Auction in January 2019, where it shattered the record price for this date when it brought \$43,475.

PCGS has graded a mere three 1858-S eagles in AU58 with none finer (12/19). With the Hansen coin likely off the market for the foreseeable future and the other coin untraced by us, the Jacobson example takes on a level of significance for the advanced collector of Liberty Head eagles. This is a remarkably attractive coin that appears unabraded. Slight remnants of mint luster surround the devices.

Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 10/2006), lot 2935, where it sold for \$18,400.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263Y, PCGS# 8627

1859 Eagle, AU53 Somewhat Scarce, Yet Affordable



3245 1859 AU53 NGC. The 1859 is a reasonably scarce date in all grades, yet it remains affordable in the lower-to-middle About Uncirculated range. In Uncirculated, this date is rare with an estimated four to six examples known. The finest known is a newly-discovered NGC MS64 that was found along with a group of other coins from this era by a dealer in western North Carolina in the Fall of 2019. This is an attractive, original coin and is especially nice for the grade with significant traces of luster, slightly reflective fields, and only a few medium-sized abrasions.

Ex: ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2013), lot 5258.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263Z, PCGS# 8628

1859-O Ten Dollar, AU50 Rarest No Motto Eagle From New Orleans



3246 1859-O AU50 PCGS. Variety 1. It is open to debate which is the rarest No Motto New Orleans eagle in higher grades (some say it is the 1841-O, while others believe it is the 1859-O). However, there is no doubt that the 1859-O is the rarest in terms of the total number of examples known. Only 2,300 coins were struck and 60 to 70 pieces are known. Around a dozen of these qualify as About Uncirculated and an 1859-O that grades AU55 qualifies for the Condition Census. In Uncirculated, this issue is unique with the Tyrant Collection containing an NGC MS62, a coin that was uncovered from the S.S. Republic.

Since early 2009, only two PCGS AU50 1859-O eagles have sold at auction and the more recent of these appearances was in the Houston Signature (Heritage, 12/2013), lot 3865, where it realized \$28,200. This yellow-orange piece, though softly struck as always on the stars, has pleasing central detail. Softly lustrous, lightly abraded fields show hints of reflectivity, particularly at the reverse margins. Two shallow marks are noted on Liberty's face. Population: 8 in 50, 17 finer (1/20).

Ex: Baltimore Signature (Heritage, 7/2008), lot 2009.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2642, PCGS# 8629

1859-S Eagle, AU55 Rare Issue, Tied for Finest at PCGS



3247 1859-S AU55 PCGS. The 1859-S is among the rarest of all Liberty Head eagles and it is even more difficult to locate than its mintage figure of 7,000 coins would suggest. There are an estimated four dozen or so pieces known with most grading XF45 or lower. In About Uncirculated, this is a rare issue with as few as six or seven examples known. There are no Uncirculated 1859-S eagles currently accounted for. The finest known are:

- **1. AU58 NGC.** ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 1307, where it sold for \$27,000 (as a PCGS AU55).
- **2. AU55 PCGS.** ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2018), lot 5247, where it brought \$25,228.
- **3. AU55 PCGS.** Douglas Winter Numismatics to Harvey Jacobson, August 2013.

It is our belief that the rare No Motto eagles from San Francisco remain one of the true final frontiers of American numismatics. Think about how valuable this issue would be if it were a Carson City eagle with a population of just two pieces in AU55, one AU58, and no Uncirculated pieces known.

Only a trace of wear shows on the well-detailed design elements of this impressive Choice AU specimen and the colorful orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded, with traces of original mint luster in sheltered areas. The overall presentation is most attractive. Population: 2 in 55, 0 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2643, PCGS# 8630

1860 Ten Dollar, MS61 Condition Rarity in Mint State



3248 1860 MS61 PCGS. CAC. The 1860 is a moderately scarce date in higher circulated grades but it is rare and definitely overlooked in Uncirculated. It is likely that fewer than 10 pieces are accounted for in mint condition with most grading MS60 to MS62. There appear to be two examples known in MS64 and one of these set a record for the issue when it brought a strong \$70,550 in the Stack's Bowers Americana Auction (2/2013), lot 2178.

There have been just two PCGS MS61 1860 eagles sold at auction since the beginning of 1996, and the last example to cross the block brought \$7,344 at Legend's Regency XIII Auction (9/2015), lot 249. A nicer coin for the grade, with CAC approval, sold by Great Collections for a strong \$16,500 in May 2013.

This impressive Mint State specimen exhibits sharply detailed design elements, aside from a touch of the usual softness on some of the stars. The yellow-orange surfaces retain much of their original mint luster and are lightly marked for the grade. The outstanding quality and eye appeal are attested by the CAC sticker. Population: 6 in 61, 5 finer. CAC: 1 in 61, 0 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2644, PCGS# 8631

1860-O Eagle, AU58 Final No Motto O-Mint



3249 1860-O AU58 PCGS. CAC. Variety 2. The 1860-O eagle is a numismatically significant issue as it was the last No Motto eagle struck at this facility prior to closing in 1861. Eagles would not be coined again until the mint reopened in 1879. The 1860-O has a low mintage of 11,100 pieces and it is a scarce coin in the higher grades of About Uncirculated. In mint condition, the 1860-O is rare with only seven to nine examples known and virtually all are impounded in tightly-held collections.

Since Heritage sold the Warren Miller coin back in October 1995 (for \$4,400) just a single PCGS AU58 1860-O eagle has sold at auction and it brought \$8,813 in the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/2015), lot 4294. That example was not approved by CAC and the Jacobson coin should bring more, given its excellent quality for the date and grade. Numerous shallow abrasions are spread over each side, but the coin lacks the deep marks usually encountered. Original surfaces.

This is one of just three 1860-O eagles graded AU58 that have been approved by CAC, and the PCGS population in this grade is five coins in AU58 with six pieces finer (12/19).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2645, PCGS# 98631

1860-S Ten Dollar, AU55 One of the Rarest Issues of the Type





3250 1860-S AU55 PCGS. The 1860-S is among the rarest No Motto eagles of any date or mint. A scant 5,000 pieces were produced and as few as three dozen examples are known today, most in low grades. There are as few as six to eight specimens known in About Uncirculated and an example that grades AU53 readily qualifies for the Condition Census.

While PCGS shows a current population of five 1860-S eagles in AU55 this is likely inflated by resubmissions and it is possible that no more than three coins actually exist. There are two PCGS AU58s (including the Simpson / Hall coin that appears to now be in the DL Hansen collection), and a single coin graded MS60 by PCGS, which is plated on CoinFacts. A coin sold by Superior in their May 2008 auction for \$37,375 is possibly the same coin as the PCGS MS60 and, if so, this date is unique in Uncirculated.

There are two reasonably current auction prices realized for this issue in PCGS-certified AU55: Stack's Bowers Rarities Auction (5/2016), lot 105, at \$25,850, and Heritage's sale of the Bently Collection (3/2014), lot 30362, which brought \$28,200. Before these two coins, no AU55 PCGS coins had been sold since July 2003. This Choice AU has bright surfaces that display original tinges of reddish patina over each side. There are no abrasions present that are worthy of individual comment.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55H2, PCGS# 8632

1861 Ten Dollar, MS62 THE Type Coin in the No Motto Series





3251 1861 MS62 PCGS. More examples of this issue were produced than for all of the other Civil War-era eagles combined, so it is no surprise that the 1861 is by far the most available date from this era. There are a few dozen examples known in Uncirculated, and beginning at the MS62 grade level, the 1861 becomes scarce. The finest known, by a wide margin, is the amazing PCGS MS66 from the Bass Collection that brought \$50,600 when it was last sold in November, 2000. Only four PCGS MS62 1861 eagles have sold at auction since June 2006 with the last one in the 2015 ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2015), lot 6241, where it realized \$8,225.

This would make an excellent type coin for the collector seeking an impressive No Motto eagle. The coin is bright yellow-gold and problem-free for the grade. It is also important to remember that if available, a nice PCGS MS63 example of this date would sell for a price approaching \$20,000.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2009), lot 5546, where it realized \$7,187.50.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2647, PCGS# 8633

1861-S Ten Dollar, AU55 CAC Approved, Condition Census



3252 1861-S AU55 PCGS. CAC. The 1861-S is still a scarce issue but it has become more available than it was as recently as a decade ago, likely due to examples located in overseas banks. There are as many as 70-80 pieces known in all grades and an estimated 12 to 15 coins are in About Uncirculated. This date is rare in properly graded AU55 to AU58, and the only Uncirculated piece is an NGC/CAC MS61 that Heritage last sold for \$67,563 as lot 5390 in their 2012 ANA Signature.

It is important to remember that eagles from the San Francisco mint saw much greater use in commerce than their counterparts from Philadelphia. This explains why coins like this lovely PCGS/CAC AU55 are significant to collectors as there are so few available that show light circulation.

A total of five PCGS-certified AU55 1861-S eagles have sold at auction since January 2003. The two most recent appearances are from the Long Beach Signature (Heritage 6/2017), lot 3220, where that piece brought \$15,863, and the example from the ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2016), lot 3341, which realized \$14,100. Neither of these coins was approved by CAC and the Jacobson example is clearly superior for the grade. Only a touch of wear shows on the well-detailed design elements of this impressive Choice AU specimen and the lightly abraded orange-gold surfaces retain much original mint luster in sheltered areas. CAC has approved just two coins in this grade with two finer (AU58 and MS61). Population: 8 in 55, 6 finer (1/20).

Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55H3, PCGS# 8634

1862 Ten Dollar, MS61 Just Three PCGS-Graded Uncirculated Pieces



3253 1862 MS61 PCGS. The 1862 is the second most available Civil War-era ten dollar, but it is many times more difficult to locate in all grades than the most common issue, the 1861. There are probably just over 100 pieces known in all grades with fewer than two dozen in About Uncirculated. It should be noted that the current PCGS population figure of 29 in AU55 is undoubtedly inflated by resubmissions. PCGS has graded two 1862 eagles in Uncirculated with one finer (12/19). The finest known are:

1. MS64 NGC. S.S. *Republic.* National Money Show Auction (Bowers and Merena, 4/2005), lot 2004, where it sold for \$41,975.

2. MS63 NGC. Stanley Kesselman to Harry Bass, February 17,1971; Bass Collection, Part IV (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000), lot 681, where it realized \$12,650 (as PCGS MS62).

3. MS61 PCGS. FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2016), lot 5620, where it brought \$12,925.

4. MS61 PCGS. New York Signature (Heritage, 10/2015), lot 3549, where it sold for \$18,800. **Harvey Jacobson Collection.**

It should be noted that the only examples of this date finer than the present coin are either off the market in strong hands or are significantly more expensive than the Jacobson coin. This is an important piece for the advanced gold collector. Each side is bright yellow-gold and slight reflectivity is present in the fields. Numerous small abrasions are scattered across each side and the strike is complete.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2649, PCGS# 8635

1862-S Liberty Eagle, AU50 Rarely Seen Finer





3254 1862-S AU50 PCGS. This date is considerably scarcer than the 1861-S eagle but it is more available than the 1863-S through 1866-S No Motto issues. There are an estimated 65-75 pieces known and this is a difficult date in properly graded About Uncirculated with fewer than 10 examples presently accounted for. This date is unique in Uncirculated with the sole example the PCGS MS61 from the Simpson / Hall Collection that sold for a record-smashing \$103,500 in the Central States Signature (Heritage 4/2011), lot 5427 (it should be noted that the coin was graded by NGC but it was crossed-over to PCGS immediately afterward). There has not been a single PCGS-certified AU50 example of this date sold at auction since August 2009, and since then only a single NGC AU50 has sold; it brought \$8,225 in the Summer FUN Signature (Heritage 7/2106), lot 4019. This lightly worn, lightly abraded AU specimen will be a welcome addition to a fine collection or type set.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55H4, PCGS# 8636

1863 Eagle, XF45 Second Rarest P-Mint After the 1875





3255 1863 XF45 PCGS. All of the Civil War-era Liberty Head eagles are scarce (with the exception of the 1861), but the 1863 is a key in this subset. In fact, it is among the rarest of all Liberty Head gold coins from the Philadelphia mint. Only 1,248 pieces were struck and an estimated 30 to 40 examples are known. The finest is the superb Bass IV coin, lot 683 (ex: Mid-American, 8/1991) that brought \$52,900 in its last appearance (an amazing bargain), after Harry Bass paid \$104,500 for it in 1991. Today, this coin is owned by DL Hansen. There is a second Uncirculated piece, graded NGC MS62, from the shipwreck of the S.S. Republic that is in the Tyrant Collection.

Interestingly, this date was almost never available in the earlier part of the 2010s but it became slightly more available as the decade came to a close; likely because prices shot up for the 1863 eagle and previous owners took advantage of the new levels. From 2016 to 2018, five 1863 tens crossed the auction block (including one net-graded coin sold in April 2016) with just a single coin grading higher than XF45.

While the Jacobson coin is "only" an XF45, it is a pleasing, wholesome piece that represents the best available quality for this date south of \$50,000. Only light wear shows on the devices and the pleasing orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded, aside from a few marks on Liberty's cheek.

Ex: ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2016), lot 3344, where it sold for \$35,250.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264B, PCGS# 8637

1863-S Ten Dollar, AU58 Only Three Graded Higher at Both Services





3256 1863-S AU58 NGC. The PCGS CoinFacts estimate of 47 pieces known for this date seems too low, and in our estimate the more likely number is 60 to 70 examples. The 1863-S is rarer than the 1861-S and the 1862-S in higher grades with no more than eight or nine coins that grade About Uncirculated, and most of these are certified AU55 or below.

There are three Uncirculated 1863-S eagles:

1. MS61 PCGS. Warren Miller Collection (Heritage, 10/1995), lot 6330, where it brought \$27,500; Harry Bass Collection, Part IV (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000), lot 684, where it sold for \$18,400.

2. MS60 PCGS. Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4262, where it sold for \$132,000.

3. MS61 NGC. Pre-Long Beach Auction (Goldberg Auctions, 2/2009), lot 1535, where it realized \$37,950.

At AU58, the Jacobson coin qualifies for inclusion in the Condition Census for this issue. Only two NGC AU58 examples have sold since May 2008 (the sole PCGS AU58 has never appeared for sale at auction). Those two coins sold recently, one in the FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2019), lot 4693, where it brought \$30,000, and the other in the ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2018), lot 5278, where it sold for \$31,200.

Significant mint luster can still be seen around the margins and the devices. Only two abrasions merit mention, one in the left obverse field and the other in the right obverse field. Better detailed on the obverse devices; significant softness is noted on the neck feathers of the eagle. It is unlikely that a numerically finer 1863-S eagle will be available to advanced collectors of this series for many years to come.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264C, PCGS# 8638

1864 Ten Dollar, AU53 Fewer Than a Dozen Known in AU



3257 1864 AU53 PCGS. Ex: Simpson-Hall. With the exception of the double eagle, all of the gold coins struck in 1864 at Philadelphia have small mintages and all are very scarce to rare. Of the 3,530 eagles made for circulation an estimated 50 to 60 pieces exist with most in lower grades. There are under a dozen in About Uncirculated and just two have been graded Uncirculated by PCGS: an MS60 and an MS61. The Admiral Collection coin, sold by Heritage as lot 4263 in their February 2018 auction, brought \$60,000, which is far and away a record price for this issue.

PCGS has graded three examples in AU53. The only one to ever sell at auction last appeared in the Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 11/2011), lot 9702, where it sold for \$15,525; it had earlier sold as lot 1138 in the Johnson-Blue Collection (Stack's Bowers, 10/2010), where it realized \$23,000. Only two PCGS AU55s have sold since 1999 and they brought \$27,600 in March 2019 and \$41,125 in October 2014.

This attractive AU53 specimen is lightly worn and lightly abraded, with pleasing orange-gold surfaces. This piece qualifies at the bottom of the Condition Census for the issue and it is unlikely that a finer 1864 eagle will be available in the near future. Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264D, PCGS# 8639

1864-S Liberty Eagle, XF45 The Rarest S-Mint Dollar Second Rarest Liberty Head Eagle



3258 1864-S XF45 PCGS. The 1864-S is the rarest eagle from San Francisco and it is clearly the second rarest Liberty Head eagle, trailing only the 1875. For the San Francisco mint no other year claims a smaller mintage than 1864, when just 2,500 examples were struck. There are an estimated 25-30 pieces known, and at least half of these grade lower than XF40 with some survivors as low as VG8. In choice, original Extremely Fine there are as few as a half dozen coins known, and to this number we can add another four or five in About Uncirculated. The finest is a PCGS-certified AU55+ that brought \$219,004 (as an NGC AU55) in the Chicago Signature (Heritage, 10/2018), lot 3179. No pieces are known in mint condition.

This piece was sold to Harvey Jacobson via private treaty in April 2017 (as an NGC XF45). It is a fresh coin that walked into a coin shop in the Midwest and made its way to specialist Doug Winter who sold it to Jacobson.

Between 2000 to 2014, this issue was virtually unavailable in any grade. It turns out that collector Donald Bently was quietly hoarding 1864-S eagles (and other rare issues as well) and when his collection came onto the market in early 2014, his estate contained four examples. Prices immediately skyrocketed for this issue and the formerly grossly undervalued 1864-S eagle became a six-figure coin in Extremely Fine and finer. While this date is no longer "cheap," it still seems reasonable given the popularity of the Liberty Head eagle series and the rarity of this issue.

Most of the stars show partial radial line detail, and Liberty's portrait is strong for the grade. Incompleteness is a touch more apparent on the eagle's neck and the olive leaves, but the legends on that side are bold. Attractive khaki-gold surfaces show crusty accents within the protected regions. As far as identifying this coin in future sales, pedigree markers are limited to two marks in the field above and through the tip of the bust and above the eagle's head. We would encourage anyone with an 1864-S ten on their wish list to seriously consider the present lot, as these coins rarely make public appearances. Population: 5 in 45 (1 in 45+), 7 finer (12/19). From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55MT, PCGS# 8640

1865 Ten Dollar, AU53 Only 3,980 Pieces Struck



3259 1865 AU53 PCGS. An estimated 50-60 examples of this date are known and the 1865 is among the scarcer No Motto eagles from Philadelphia. A total of 23 coins have been certified in the About Uncirculated grade range by PCGS, but this number seems to be significantly inflated by resubmissions. It is likely that no more than a dozen or so pieces are known. There is a single Uncirculated 1865 eagle, a PCGS-graded MS63 that has never been sold at public auction.

Since the start of 2003, there have been five auction prices realized for this issue in PCGS-certified AU53. Three different pieces were offered between September 2013 and October 2014, and they realized: \$15,980 (9/2013), \$18,800 (1/2014), and \$15,275 (10/2014). This is a solid example for the grade and it is likely within the lower end of the Condition Census. The yellow and rose-gold surfaces show only minor abrasions and chatter in the fields, with light wear on the devices and traces of original mint luster in sheltered areas.

Ex: Philadelphia Auction (Stack's Bowers, 9/2013), lot 3450, where it brought \$15,980.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264F, PCGS# 8641

1865-S Normal Date Ten Dollar, XF45 CAC Endorsed



3260 1865-S XF45 PCGS. CAC. Varieties of 1865-S eagles exist with a Normal Date and an Inverted Date. The latter is visually spectacular and well-known, but the Normal Date is far scarcer. In fact, it is likely the second rarest Liberty Head eagle from San Francisco, trailing only the better-known and far more expensive 1864-S.

There are as few as 30-35 examples known of the Normal Date and most are in lower grades. A properly graded Extremely Fine is about as nice as this issue is generally seen and there are as few as a half dozen or so in About Uncirculated. The finest known is the Admiral Collection coin, graded MS60 by NGC and sold by Heritage for \$90,000 as lot 4266 in their February 2018 auction.

This lightly worn Choice XF specimen offers pleasing orangegold surfaces that are remarkably lightly abraded. What appears to be damage on the cheek of Liberty is, in fact, a mint-made defect seen on all 1865-S Normal Date eagles.

The appearance rarity of this issue can be best appreciated by the fact that CAC has approved just three 1865-S Normal Date eagles: this coin, an AU53 and an AU58.

Since the Bass Collection, Part III, lot 658 coin sold in May 2000, there has been just one PCGS XF45 1865-S Normal Date ten dollar auctioned: FUN Signature (Heritage 1/2011), lot 5193, which sold for a reasonable \$7,475. The coin we offer here will no doubt bring considerably more.

Ex: Simpson-Hall.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55MU, PCGS# 8642

1865-S Inverted Date Eagle, AU53 Popular Variant





3261 1865-S 865 Over Inverted 186 AU53 PCGS. This is the better known of the two varieties of 1865-S eagles and it is spectacular from a visual perspective as the 186 date logotype was initially punched into the die upside-down and then corrected ("I'll have what he's drinking ..."). This variety wasn't publicized until the 1950s and it was long thought to be rare but is actually more available than the Normal Date 1865-S eagles. Around 45-55 pieces are known with an estimated nine or 10 examples in About Uncirculated.

This variety becomes rare in AU55 and it is unique in Uncirculated with the sole example being a remarkable PCGS MS64 from the shipwreck S.S. Brother Jonathan. It brought \$115,000 in May 1999 and \$81,650 in August 2001.

The AU53 Jacobson coin offers lightly worn design elements, with a touch of the usual softness on the central reverse. The orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded, with some chatter on Liberty's neck and cheek the only marks of note. This piece is unquestionably in the Condition Census for this variety and it is one of five graded by PCGS with four finer (12/19).

Ex: H.R. Lee Collection (Stack's, 10/1947), lot 1640; James A. Stack Collection (Stack's, 3/1995), lot 586.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264G, PCGS# 8643

1866-S No Motto Ten Dollar, AU53 Scarce and Popular Final No Motto Issue



3262 1866-S No Motto AU53 NGC. News from Philadelphia to change the reverse design of the half eagle, eagle, and double eagle was slow to reach the San Francisco mint and 8,500 ten dollar gold pieces were produced using the old No Motto reverse die.

This is a well-known rarity in the Liberty Head eagle series and it is an issue with multiple levels of demand. Around 40-50 pieces are known with many showing heavy wear or enough evidence of cleaning that they are net graded. An estimated seven to nine examples are known in the various AU grades. The record price for an 1866-S No Motto eagle is the NGC MS60 coin sold by Heritage as part of the Admiral Collection (2/2018), lot 4269, which brought \$50,400. Just two AU53 examples of this issue have traded at public auction since April 2006 and both were NGC coins: one brought \$17,400 in September 2017, while the other realized \$10,925 in June 2010. This example displays a few marks that are clustered on the cheek of Liberty, but elsewhere the coin is nearly abrasion-free. Medium orange-gold color with slight remnants of luster still surrounding the devices.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264H, PCGS# 8644

1866 With Motto Ten Dollar, MS62 Second Finest Graded at Either Service



3263 1866 MS62 NGC. This is a popular issue as it represents the first eagle from Philadelphia struck with the new With Motto reverse. Only 3,750 coins were produced, and around 70-80 pieces are known today. Five or six examples are known in Uncirculated:

- MS64+ NGC. Possibly in the Tyrant Collection.
 MS62 NGC. Park Avenue Numismatics (2/2018); Jacobson Collection.
- 3. MS61+ NGC. Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2015), lot 3295, where it sold for \$32,900.
- 4. MS61 PCGS / CAC. Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 3/2019), lot 1165, where it realized \$55,200.
- 5. MS61 NGC. Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2002), lot 8395, where it brought \$17,250; Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4270, where it sold for \$33,600.
- 6. MS61 NGC. National Money Show Signature (Heritage, 3/2007), lot 23858, where it sold for \$16,400; Goldberg Auctions (9/2010), lot 2979, where it realized \$23,000; Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 3/2011), lot 6717, where it brought \$39,100.

The Jacobson coin represents the second-highest graded example of this issue, with sharply detailed design elements and unusually clean yellow-gold surfaces. Vibrant mint luster adds to the outstanding eye appeal. This offering is an important opportunity for the grade-conscious collector to acquire an 1866 eagle that ranks well up in the Condition Census for this numismatically significant issue.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264J, PCGS# 8649

1866-S With Motto Ten, AU53 The Simpson-Hall Example, CAC Approved



3264 1866-S Motto AU53 PCGS. CAC. This is the second variety for 1866-S eagles as examples were also struck without a motto. The With Motto is not as well-known as its No Motto counterpart but it is a scarce issue in its own right with fewer than 75 examples known in all grades. This issue saw considerable use in commerce and today it is rare in About Uncirculated with nine or 10 pieces extant. There are none in Uncirculated and the current PCGS population figures show the four highest graded specimens are two in AU55 and two in AU58.

This is a wholesome example for the issue with pleasing natural color and choice surfaces. The 1866-S With Motto is a true appearance rarity — consider that CAC has approved only four coins in all grades combined. This includes two in AU53 and just one finer, an AU55

Since early 2003, there have been five auction appearances for this date in PCGS AU53 but only two coins have sold since the beginning of 2006. The most recent sale is from the 2016 ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 2016), lot 3350, which realized \$9,988, and earlier brought \$9,200 in the Dallas Signature (Heritage, 12/2005), lot 1488. The Jacobson coin is considerably more choice and should sell for more based on its impressive quality.

Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53FR, PCGS# 8650

1867 Ten Dollar, AU58 Important Condition Census Example





3265 1867 AU58 PCGS. Despite a tiny mintage of 3,090 business strikes, the 1867 is not an especially well-known date in the Liberty Head eagle series. It is rare in all grades with an estimated 55-65 pieces known. PCGS shows a current total of 22 graded in About Uncirculated, but this number is almost certainly inflated by resubmissions and there are likely fewer than 10 coins known in this grade range. The 1867 is rare in AU55 and higher.

There are an estimated three or four 1867 eagles known in Uncirculated:

- **1. MS62 PCGS.** Douglas Winter Numismatics 2019; private collection.
- 2. MS61 PCGS. Dallas Signature (Heritage, 3/2016), lot 5082, where it brought \$36,425.
- **3. MS61 PCGS.** Pre-Long Beach Auction (Goldberg Auctions, 2/2007), lot 2401, where it sold for \$36,800.
- **4. MS60 NGC.** Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4272, which realized \$21,600.
- **5. MS60 NGC.** ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2010), lot 3550, which sold for \$23,000

There are only two auction prices realized for this date in PCGS-certified AU58 and they are for the same coin; a choice piece with CAC approval. That coin last sold for \$30,550 in the 2016 ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2016), lot 3351, and it earlier brought the same amount in Heritage's 2013 ANA Signature, as lot 5881.

The Jacobson coin is comfortably in the Condition Census for the issue and it represents one of the finest 1867 eagles that can be obtained by the advanced specialist. The design elements are well-detailed, with just a trace of friction on the high points, and the lightly abraded butter-gold surfaces retain much original mint luster in sheltered areas. Population: 4 in 58, 5 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264L, PCGS# 8651

1867-S Ten Dollar, AU50 A Rare and Underappreciated Issue





3266 1867-S AU50 PCGS. CAC. Ex: Simpson-Hall. The 1867-S was first identified as a "grossly underrated" issue by David Akers who pointed out that it had among the lowest frequencies of appearance of all eagles. Decades later, this date remains underappreciated and there are just 50-60 examples known from the original mintage of 9,000 pieces. The 1867-S saw heavy use in local commerce and today survivors are apt to grade XF45 or lower. This date is rare in About Uncirculated with maybe seven or eight coins known. The current PCGS population of three coins in AU55 and one in AU58 (with none finer) verifies the relative unavailability of the 1867-S in higher grades. The finest known is likely the NGC/CAC AU58 sold by Heritage as lot 4273 in the Admiral Collection (2/2018); it brought a record-setting \$45,600.

Since the sale of the Bass II coin in October 1999, only one PCGS AU50 1867-S eagle has sold at auction and it brought \$9,400 in the Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2013), lot 5899. During this same time frame, there were no PCGS AU53 examples and just two PCGS AU55s sold at public auction.

CAC has approved eight 1867-S eagles in all grades, this AU50 coin and three finer examples: one in AU55 and two in AU58. This lightly worn AU50 example displays pleasing orange-gold surfaces with the usual number of minor abrasions for the grade. Traces of original mint luster cling to sheltered areas around the devices.

This coin will be overshadowed by many other eagles in this memorable collection but it is among the more important pieces. *Ex: Simpson-Hall.*

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264M, PCGS# 8652

1868 Liberty Eagle, MS60 Impressive Prooflike Example





3267 1868 MS60 Prooflike PCGS. The 1868 is the most available Liberty eagle struck between 1862 and 1873. A few hundred exist in all grades with most grading AU55 or lower. In properly graded AU58, this is a scarce date and the 1868 remains rare in Uncirculated with just four or five known. Mint State examples with the Prooflike designation are virtually unobtainable.

The present coin is an impressive Mint State specimen with pleasing yellow-gold surfaces that exhibit reflective prooflike fields. Numerous minor contact marks and some chatter in the fields are consistent with the grade. The design elements are sharply detailed and the overall presentation is most attractive. Population: 1 in 60 Prooflike, 1 finer (1/20).

Ex: Moreira Collection, Part III (Superior, 1/1989), lot 3912.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, \tilde{Jr} . Collection of Liberty Eagles. PCGS# 88653

1868-S Ten Dollar, AU58 Condition Census, CAC Approved





3268 1868-S AU58 PCGS. CAC. The 1868-S eagle is not as scarce as the 1866-S With Motto or the 1867-S, but there are still fewer than 100 pieces known in all grades out of the mintage of 13,500 coins. This issue is scarce in About Uncirculated with most of the examples grading AU55 and lower. In AU58, this date is rare and there do not appear to be any 1868-S eagles known in Uncirculated.

Since 2005, there have been just four auction records for the 1868-S ten dollar in PCGS-certified AU58. In 2016, two pieces sold (for \$17,625 and \$16,450) while this specific example realized \$18,213 in July 2014. This remains a record price for the issue. Only two AU58 1868-S eagles have been approved by CAC with none finer.

The surfaces are original with yellow-gold color over most of each side and the devices surrounded by deeper reddish-gold. Nearly free from handling in commerce, abrasions are equally minor. There is a good chance that this is the single finest 1868-S eagle known and it is clearly the best available to collectors. An important coin.

Ex: Summer FUN Signature (Heritage, 7/2014), lot 3951, where it sold for \$18,213.50.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264P, PCGS# 8654

1869 Eagle, AU55 Only 1,830 Business Strikes Produced





3269 1869 AU55 PCGS. The mintage for this date is an absurdly low 1,830 business strikes, yet the 1869 eagle remains a curiously overlooked issue in this series. Around 55 to 65 pieces exist in all grades with perhaps a dozen extant in About Uncirculated. Most 1869 tens are deeply prooflike and heavily abraded. This is one of the true appearance rarities of all With Motto eagles, reinforced by the approval by CAC of only one coin in all grades, an AU55.

This nice AU55 is comfortably in the Condition Census for the issue. PCGS has graded few finer than this; just a single coin in AU58, another in AU58+, plus one each in MS60 and MS62. Just three coins have sold at auction in PCGS AU55 since late-1995 and each sale has occurred within the last few years. The most recent auction price realized is from Legend's Regency Auction 29 (11/2018), lot 339, a coin that brought \$9,694.

This coin is likely to sell for under \$10,000, yet it is a rare issue in all grades but it lacks the collector following accorded to the mintmarked dates of this type. This well-detailed, lightly worn Choice AU specimen exhibits lightly abraded orange-gold surfaces, with a few amber alloy spots near the eagle's head. This coin will be a welcome addition to a fine collection of Liberty eagles.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264R, PCGS# 8655

1869-S Ten Dollar, AU58 CAC-Approved, Condition Census Quality





3270 1869-S AU58 PCGS. CAC. The 1869-S is a rare and overlooked date that is far scarcer than its mintage of 6,430 pieces might suggest. There are an estimated 50 to 60 examples known in all grades. This issue is difficult to locate in About Uncirculated grades with perhaps a dozen coins known. PCGS shows a population of five each in AU55 and AU58 — numbers that are undoubtedly inflated by resubmissions — a Choice AU 1869-S eagle is rare. There are two Uncirculated examples of this date known: the PCGS MS61 Bass, Part III, lot 693 coin that brought \$17,250 in October 2000, and the NGC MS61 Admiral Collection, lot 4276 coin that realized \$43,200 in the Heritage February 2018 sale.

There are four auction records for PCGS AU58 1869-S eagles since the start of 1994. The finest of these brought \$28,200, which was realized by the coin in the Bently Collection (Heritage, 3/2014), lot 30371. The last sale was in April 2015 when Heritage sold an example for \$21,378.

CAC has approved only three AU58 examples of this issue but it is hard to imagine that the other two coins compare to this choice piece. Just a trace of high-point friction is evident on the well-detailed devices and the pleasing orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded, aside from a single long scratch below the eagle's left (facing) wing.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264S, PCGS# 8656

1870 Eagle, AU58 Underrated Philadelphia Issue



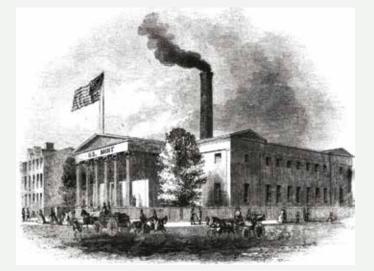


3271 1870 AU58 PCGS. The 1870 eagle has a mintage of just 3,990 circulation strikes. This date is a touch more available than its low mintage would suggest and as many as 75 to 85 pieces are known. The 1870 is seen more often in higher AU grades than the 1869 or the 1871, but the current PCGS population figures of 11 in AU55 and seven in AU58 are almost certainly inflated by resubmissions.

There is no doubt that the 1870 eagle is a rarity in AU58 and this can be verified by the fact that the Jacobson coin is the first PCGS-certified AU58 to sell at auction since the 2004 ANA. In fact, the only finer 1870 eagle to ever sell is the NGC MS60 (the sole piece graded at any level of Uncirculated) that Heritage sold for \$25,850 in their Long Beach Signature (2/2015) auction.

This coin will no doubt be overshadowed by other betterknown coins in this important collection but it represents the best available quality for this date. Deep lemon-gold patina complements reflectivity in the fields, while the design elements are sharp. Scattered light contact marks are unimportant.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264T, PCGS# 8657



1870-CC Eagle, Choice XF Natural Russet-Gold Color Inaugural-Year Carson City Key



3272 1870-CC XF45 PCGS. Variety 1-B. Ex: Northern California Set. The 1870-CC is the rarest and the most famous ten dollar gold piece from this mint. It is numismatically significant as the first eagle from Carson City and it is not that far removed in terms of its overall rarity from the famous double eagle of this date/mint. There are an estimated 50 or so examples known and this includes a number in grades as low as Very Good to Fine. In Extremely Fine, the 1870-CC eagle is scarce and it is a rarity in About Uncirculated with no more than five or six coins accounted for. The two finest known grade AU55 at PCGS and are pedigreed to the Old West and Battle Born Collections, respectively.

There has not been a PCGS-certified XF45 example of this issue at auction since February 2012 when Goldberg Auctions sold one for \$48,300. However, the market has increased dramatically for this date in the ensuing eight years as seen by the sale of a PCGS-graded Fine 12 1870-CC eagle that just sold for \$43,200 in Heritage's Dallas Signature (9/2019), lot 4993. Another notable sale occurred in February 2018 when Heritage garnered \$66,000 for an 1870-CC eagle graded VF35 from the Admiral Collection.

A few years ago when Doug Winter handled this coin, he called it one of the two or three finest XF examples of the 1870-CC he had ever seen. Describing it, he wrote:

"The obverse and reverse show very attractive natural russet-gold color which is the exact 'right' shade for the issue. Some luster can be seen in the protected areas and the strike is slightly better than average with only minor weakness in the centers. The centers are better than average for the date and grade. There are a few very light ticks in the obverse fields which are mostly hidden by the depth of the aforementioned color while the reverse is very choice except for a small mint-made spot which can be seen just above the top arrowhead. Some dirt can be seen in the recesses and the overall level of eye appeal is really high."

The Jacobson coin is a choice, wholesome piece which is just about the finest available quality for this rare and historic issue. *From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles.* NGC ID# 53FU, PCGS# 8658

1870-S Ten Dollar, AU55 Underappreciated S-Mint Issue Only AU55 Sold in This Grade Since 2009



3273 1870-S AU55 PCGS. The 1870-S is overshadowed by its counterpart, the 1870-CC, but this is a scarce issue in its own right with fewer than 100 pieces known in all grades. There are an estimated 13-15 coins in About Uncirculated and virtually all of these grade AU55 or lower. PCGS has certified just two examples in AU58 and there is a single coin in Uncirculated: a PCGS MS61, the Eliasberg/Bass coin that brought a very strong \$36,800 back in November 2000.

Since early 2009, there has been just one 1870-S eagle graded AU55 by PCGS that has sold at auction, in Regency Auction 28 (Legend, 9/2018), lot 602, a coin that brought \$9,988. During this same time period, a single PCGS AU58 sold and it brought \$12,925 in the Bently Collection (Heritage, 3/2014), lot 30374.

This date is one of the more underappreciated eagles from the San Francisco mint and the Jacobson coin is almost certainly in the Condition Census for the issue. The strongly impressed design elements exhibit some light wear on the high points and the pleasing butter-gold surfaces display only minor abrasions on the devices and some light chatter in the fields. Population: 7 in 55, 3 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53FU, PCGS# 8659

1871 Eagle, AU55 Only 1,790 Circulation Strikes Produced



3274 1871 AU55 PCGS. CAC. Ex: Simpson-Hall. The 1871 is another low mintage issue (as are all Philadelphia eagles from 1869 through 1873) with a tiny number of 1,790 pieces struck for circulation. There are around 55 to 65 examples known and most are in the XF45 to AU53 grade range. An AU55 is rare (the PCGS population of six seems accurate) with only three graded finer: two in AU58 and a single coin in MS61. The finest known is from the Admiral Collection and it brought \$45,600 in February 2018.

This piece is notable for displaying far fewer detracting abrasions than normal for the issue and its color and luster are well above average as well. CAC has approved just three pieces in total for this date, two in AU55 and one in AU58.

There have been four auction records for 1871 eagles in PCGS AU55 since October 1999. The most recent is from the Regency Auction XXIV (Legend, 12/2017), lot 101, which brought \$8,813. Heritage has not sold a PCGS AU55 since January 2011. Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264W, PCGS# 8660

1871-CC Ten Dollar, XF45 Collector-Grade Coin With CAC Approval





3275 1871-CC XF45 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1-A. The 1871-CC is the most available eagle from this mint struck during the first four years of this facility's operations. But "most available" still translates to only 100 to 125 coins that are known. Extremely Fine examples are moderately scarce. However, most of the coins graded XF40 or XF45 are not choice and there are just five in XF45 that have been approved by CAC (with two finer, both AU55).

This piece is choice with good color and pleasing surfaces. The XF45 grade represents a smart choice for many collectors of Carson City eagles since nice AU coins are rare and expensive.

There have been two PCGS/CAC XF45 1871-C eagles that have sold at auction in the last seven years. The most recent auction prices realized are: ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2016), lot 3361, which brought \$19,975, while this coin sold in the Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 11/2013), lot 2221, and realized \$15,275. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264X, PCGS# 8661

1871-S Ten Dollar Liberty, AU53 Scarce Yet Obtainable S-Mint Ten





3276 1871-S AU53 PCGS. The 1871-S is the most obtainable San Francisco eagle struck between 1861 and the early part of the 1870s, but it is far from common. An estimated 100 or so pieces exist with as many as 15 in the various About Uncirculated grades. Most of the AU coins grade AU53 and below, and an AU55 or AU58 1871-S ten dollar is rare. The highest graded coin at PCGS is a single AU58 and this date does not currently exist in Uncirculated (by either service).

This coin won't bring much more than \$5,000 to \$6,000, but it is close to Condition Census for the issue and it represents just the third PCGS AU53 to sell at auction since the beginning of 1998. Some light wear shows on the design elements and the pleasing orange-gold surfaces exhibit the expected number of minor abrasions for the grade.

Ex: Baltimore Auction (Bowers and Merena, 11/2009), lot 2221. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264Y, PCGS# 8662

1872 Ten Dollar, Reflective AU55 Rare, Low-Mintage Issue





3277 1872 AU55 PCGS. Ex: Simpson-Hall. Mintage figures for Philadelphia eagles continued to be tiny into 1872; this issue saw just 1,620 coins struck for circulation. The 1872 is scarcer than the 1871 in terms of overall rarity with an estimated 45-55 pieces known but it is more available in higher grades. A small hoard of Uncirculated 1872 eagles existed at one time and there are actually two coins graded MS64 by PCGS (1/20); one of these brought \$48,000 when Heritage offered it in their February 2018 Admiral Collection sale.

The 1872 eagle is rare in About Uncirculated with likely fewer than 10 examples known. PCGS has graded just three each in AU55 and AU58. There are five auction records for PCGS AU55s since October 1999; the most recent sale was Legend's Regency Auction XIII (9/2015), lot 253, at \$12,935. Heritage sold two different PCGS AU55s in 2015, each for \$16,450.

This coin displays deeply prooflike fields, hindered only slightly by the light marks and friction that come with the AU55 grade. Detail is sharp and wear light — some luster remains intact on the elevated areas of the devices. With just a handful of examples known in higher grades, the advanced collector is not likely to have an opportunity to acquire a finer 1872 eagle than this Condition Census example.

Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264Z, PCGS# 8663

1872-CC Eagle, VF35 Collector-Grade Example





3278 1872-CC VF35 PCGS. Variety 1-B. The rarity of this date can be grasped by the fact that this 1872-CC is the single lowest graded coin in the remarkable Jacobson Collection. There were just 4,600 examples of this date produced and the 1872-CC saw extensive commercial usage. As a result, it is unique in Uncirculated (an NGC MS62 was recently discovered in England and offered in Heritage's 2020 FUN sale) and it is very rare in About Uncirculated.

A PCGS VF35 1872-CC eagle has not been offered for sale at auction since the Harry Bass Collection, Part II, lot 1532 (which brought \$5,290) was hammered in October 1999. The most recent record for a PCGS XF40 is Heritage's Chicago Signature (10/2018), lot 2146, at \$10,800.

This is one of the more affordable straight-graded 1872-CC eagles available to collectors with big tastes on a slightly limited budget. Wear is even and light, leaving most details in evidence. The deep orange-gold patina is original.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53M3, PCGS# 8664

1872-S Ten Dollar, MS60 The Only Uncirculated Piece at PCGS





3279 1872-S MS60 PCGS. CAC. The mintage figure for this issue is the highest for any San Francisco eagle since 1857. The 1872-S is reasonably available in grades through AU50 but it becomes scarce at the higher AU levels. It is rare in Uncirculated with just two pieces known: this example, and an NGC MS61 which was last sold for \$16,100 in Heritage's 2004 ANA Signature, lot 7467. Luster is far more abundant on this coin than is typical of low-end Mint State eagles, yielding warm peach and yellow-gold hues with hints of lilac. Only non-impactful abrasions are in effect, and a touch of strike softness on Liberty's central hair curls is forgotten as quickly as it is noticed.

This is among the most important San Francisco eagles in this collection and there is every reason to believe that this is the single finest known 1872-S eagle.

Ex: Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4286, where it brought \$25,200; as NGC/CAC MS60); Douglas Winter Numismatics to Harvey Jacobson, April 2018.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2653, PCGS# 8665

1873 Ten Dollar Liberty, XF45 Rare, Low-Mintage Issue Only 800 Pieces Struck





3280 1873 Closed 3 XF45 PCGS. CAC. There are only five issues of Liberty Head tens with mintages of less than 1,000 circulation strikes:

1875: 100 1876: 687 1877: 797 1873: 800 1883-O: 800

The rarity of the 1873 has been overstated in the past, but there are still only 30 to 40 pieces known; this includes a number of circulated pieces that have been located in overseas sources and repatriated into the American market. Most of the 1873 eagles known are in the XF40 to AU53 range and this date is characterized by extensively abraded surfaces. Pieces with original color and reasonably choice surfaces are very challenging to locate. The finest known 1873 eagle is a PCGS MS60 from the famous Warren Miller Collection sold by Heritage in October 1995 for \$34,100. The second finest (that we are aware of) is the PCGS AU58 that brought a record-setting \$64,625 in Stack's Bowers' Rarities Auction (5/2016), lot 109.

The last PCGS XF45 1873 eagle to sell at auction was in the Central States Signature (Heritage, 5/2005), lot 8793, where it brought \$13,800. In the ensuing decade only one XF45 was sold at auction, an NGC coin that realized \$24,675 in February 2014.

This is likely the most affordable 1873 eagle available to collectors and it should be stressed that this date is very seldom offered for sale in any grade. Both sides have natural green-gold patina and only light wear. Scattered abrasions are present, although they are generally light.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2654, PCGS# 8666

1873-CC Ten Dollar, AU53 Among the Rarest CC Dates in High Grade



3281 1873-CC AU53 PCGS. Variety 2-B, the rarer of the two die varieties for this issue, showing the mintmark placed below the fletching. The obverse die is shared with Variety 2-A, which represents the majority of the known 1873-CC eagles. Heritage last handled a problem-free Variety 2-B coin in the 2017 FUN Signature, a piece that graded XF45 PCGS. It realized \$30,550.

The 1873-CC has long been recognized as one of the rarest Carson City eagles in higher grades. There are fewer than 10 pieces known in About Uncirculated, and the current PCGS population shows just one coin certified in AU55 and one in AU58 with none in Uncirculated (12/19). It is likely the third-rarest Carson City eagle in AU and higher after the 1870-CC and the 1879-CC.

Since October 2004, there has been just a single auction appearance of this date in PCGS AU53 and that was the Bently Collection coin that Heritage sold in March 2014 for \$58,750. Neither the PCGS AU55 nor the AU58 have ever been offered for sale at auction (both are off the market in tightly-held collections), making the Jacobson coin a significant opportunity for the advanced Carson City collector.

Boldly rendered design elements exhibit little wear, although some minor strike softness — typical of the issue — is noted on the eagle's neck and the hair curls around Liberty's face. Each side has satiny fields and minimal abrasions, yielding pleasant orangegold coloration. An appealing coin, representing an incredibly important opportunity for the Carson City specialist.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53M6, PCGS# 8667

1873-S Eagle, AU55 Rare and Overlooked Issue





3282 1873-S AU55 PCGS. There were 12,000 1873-S eagles struck, and as few as 70 to 80 pieces are known today, most in lower grades. This issue saw heavy circulation and today it is rare in About Uncirculated with an estimated 10 to 12 specimens known; nearly all in the AU50 to AU53 grade range. This issue is rare and overlooked in higher AU grades. There are only two pieces known in Uncirculated: a PCGS MS61 that brought \$19,550 in the Harry Bass Collection, Part IV (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000), lot 706, and a PCGS MS62 that sold for a record \$47,000 in the Rarities Auction (Stack's Bowers, 5/2015), lot 70.

This specific coin is one of just four graded AU55 by PCGS (12/19). Since Heritage sold the Warren Miller example in October 1995, just a single AU55 from this service has been offered to collectors via public auction: the example Heritage sold as lot 7228 in the 2015 FUN sale. That coin brought \$7,050 and we expect the Jacobson coin to bring more given the increased popularity of Liberty Head eagles in the ensuing five years. The surfaces are partly lustrous and display original greenish-gold coloration. Detail is sharp, and only a few trivial marks are in evidence.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53M7, PCGS# 8668

1874 Ten Dollar, MS62 Elusive in Mint State





3283 1874 MS62 PCGS. After a decade of tiny mintages there were 53,160 eagles made for circulation in 1874, more than for all the years at Philadelphia from 1862 through 1873 combined. The 1874 is a common date in all circulated grades and it is only moderately scarce in lower Uncirculated grades. It becomes rare in MS63 and it is very rare finer. A single MS65+ is the finest graded at PCGS.

For most collectors, MS62 represents the smartest grade for this issue. A nice PCGS MS62 should cost around \$5,000 while a PCGS MS63 — if one could be located — will cost more than double that amount.

Since the start of 2008, there have been five PCGS MS62 1874 eagles sold at auction. Only one has been offered since 2011 and it sold for \$4,348 in Legend's Regency Auction XIII (9/2015), lot 255. The Jacobson coin is outstanding for the grade, showing satiny orange-gold luster with yellowish tendencies, complementing a lack of abrasions.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2657, PCGS# 8669

1874-CC Eagle, XF40 Original Collector-Grade Coin





3284 1874-CC XF40 NGC. CAC. Variety 1-A. The fact that this coin is among the lowest graded in this set suggests that the 1874-CC is a rare date in the Liberty Head eagle series; but it is, in fact, the most common Carson City issue struck prior to 1880. Harvey Jacobson was offered a number of 1874-CC eagles in grades finer than XF40 but he was never able to locate a higher-grade example that he liked.

This affordable NGC/CAC EF40 has nice surfaces and natural color with great overall eye appeal. Detail is bold for the grade. Interestingly, just a single PCGS XF40 has sold at auction since the beginning of 2007 and it was a coin that realized \$4,465 in March 2017. This would make an excellent choice for the type collector who wants an interesting early date Carson City eagle as a representative of the With Motto type.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 54UF, PCGS# 8670

1874-S Ten Dollar, AU53 Attractive, Original Surfaces





3285 1874-S AU53 PCGS. Only 10,000 examples of this issue were struck, and while the 1874-S is reasonably available in grades through AU50, it is a scarce issue in finer condition. The 1874-S is rare in AU58, and it appears to be unique in Uncirculated with only a single MS61 coin recorded by PCGS (12/19).

Just two PCGS-certified AU53 1874-S eagles have appeared for sale at auction: this coin (see below for its pedigree) and a choice CAC-approved piece that brought \$7,200 in the ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4240. Faint orange toning appears in the fields and on the devices, with light yellow mint luster in the protected areas around the design elements, showing traces of reflectivity. Both sides show the usual light, scattered marks expected for the grade.

In our opinion, many of the San Francisco eagles from 1866 through the late 1870s are underappreciated and represent excellent values at current price levels.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2013), lot 7354, where it brought \$5,288.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2659, PCGS# 8671

1875 Liberty Eagle, AU50 Lowest-Mintage Circulating U.S. Gold Coin Only 100 Examples Struck



3286 1875 AU50 PCGS. Only 100 business-strike Liberty eagles were struck in 1875, making it the lowest mintage regular-issue U.S. gold coin and the premier rarity of the series. PCGS CoinFacts estimates the surviving population at eight to nine examples in all grades and no Mint State coins are known, or even rumored. It has been stated that as many as 12 to 15 piece are known, but it appears that figure is on the high side and that the actual number is more likely seven to nine. Only two or three would grade AU, and some of the coins that have been certified are actually impaired proofs. The roster below includes 11 specimens known to us, including one example in the National Numismatic Collection at the Smithsonian Institution.

There was little numismatic interest in Liberty eagles in 1875, as the coins were too expensive for most collectors to set aside. The few numismatists who did collect large denomination gold coins simply ordered one of the 20 proof examples struck that year to update their collections. As a result, no business strikes were saved by contemporary collectors and no Mint State examples have ever been publicly offered. There have only been 13 public offerings of this issue in any grade over the last 20 years and most of the coins are presently in strong hands, so future auction appearances may be even more infrequent.

The present coin is an attractive AU50 PCGS example from the Jacobson Collection which we believe is tied for second-finest



known (the AU55 coin in the NGC Census is actually a circulated proof and we believe the AU53 specimen in the PCGS Population Report is a prior submission of the AU53+ example in their listings). Although the 1875 eagle has been something of a sleeper in the past, collectors are beginning to appreciate the rarity and appeal of this issue in recent times. This particular coin set the auction prices realized record for the issue in its 2018 appearance in the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), where it brought \$372,000. The AU53+ PCGS example in Stack's Bowers 2011 ANA Auction realized almost as much, as it sold for \$345,000. Clearly, collectors have become more aware of the elusive nature and potential value of this classic gold rarity. The 1875 Liberty eagle seems poised to

join the other outstanding rarities in the U.S. federal series at the highest level of commercial value and pride of ownership.

This coin exhibits only light wear on the strongly impressed design elements, with much interior detail still intact on Liberty's hair and the eagle's feathers. Like all examples seen, the pleasing orange-gold surfaces show a number of minor abrasions and some chatter in the fields, but most of the marks are unobtrusive and none are overly distracting. Original mint luster remains in the sheltered areas, mixed with flashes of prooflike reflectivity around the margins. The overall presentation is most attractive. This coin will be a welcome addition to the finest collection or Registry Set.

Roster of 1875 Liberty Eagles

1. AU53+ PCGS. Margene Heathgate Collection (Superior 6/1997), lot 1541(as AU53 PCGS); Atlanta Signature (Heritage, 8/2001), lot 7904 (as AU53 NGC); ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2011), lot 7732 (as AU53+ PCGS), realized \$345,000.

2. AU50 PCGS. St. Louis ANA Auction (New England Rare Coin Galleries, 7/1979), lot 313; Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4292, realized \$372,000. **The present coin.**

3. AU50 PCGS. Alto Collection (Stack's, 12/1970), lot 356; Harry W. Bass, Jr.; Bass Collection, Part II (Bowers and Merena, 10/1999), lot 1551; Jeff Garrett; Philadelphia Signature (Heritage, 8/2000), lot 7338; Pre-Long Beach Sale (Superior, 5/2001), lot 4139; Internet Only Auction (Heritage, 4/2002), lot 11458; Old Roswell Mill Collection; offered by John Hamrick in April 2008 at \$150,000; David Hall (Ellen D Collection); Simpson Collection via Legend Numismatics in May 2011.

4. AU50 PCGS. Four Landmark Collections (Bowers and Merena, 3/1989), lot 700; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 10/1995), lot 6376; Boys Town and Mamiye Collections (Bowers and Merena, 3/1998), lot 2207; Baltimore Signature (Heritage, 7/2003), lot 10450; Internet Auction (Heritage, 10/2003), lot 14125; FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2004), lot 2201; Christopher Bentley's Knob Hill Collection (Heritage, 2/2014), lot 4201, realized \$211,500.

5. XF45 PCGS. James and Margaret Carter Collection (Stack's, 1/1986), lot 270; Public Auction Sale (Stack's, 10/1988), lot 126;

ANA Signature (Heritage, 7/1997), lot 5510.

6. XF40. Possibly Col. E.H.R. Green; Dr. Charles W. Green Collection (B. Max Mehl, 4/1949), lot 547; Davis-Graves Collection (Stack's, 4/1954), lot 955; Edwards Metcalf; Gilhousen Collection, Part I (Superior, 2/1973), lot 712; Jeff Browning; Dallas Bank Collection (Sotheby's-Stack's, 10/2001), lot 474; Douglas Winter Numismatics; Southern California collection.

7. VF35 PCGS. Public Auction (Robert A. Siegel, 11/1984); Mid-American Rare Coins, 5/1992), lot 395; Dr. Jon Kardatzke Collection (Goldberg, 6/2000), lot 1539; FUN Signature (Heritage,

1/2006), lot 3536.

8. VF30 PCGS. Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/1997), lot

5548; ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/1998), lot 7771.

9. VF30 PCGS. Cornerstone Sale (Mid-American Rare Coins, 8/1991), lot 758; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/1994), lot 5441; FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/1998), lot 7966; June Auction (Superior, 6/1998), lot 2298.

10. VG. William Cutler Atwater Collection (B. Max Mehl, 6/1946), lot 1453; Amon Carter, Sr.; Amon Carter, Jr.; Amon Carter Collection (Stack's, 1/1984), lot 772; Auction '87 (Superior,

8/1987), lot 1946.

11. XF45. Possibly Jacob Shapiro, a.k.a. J.F. Bell; J.F. Bell Collection (Stack's, 12/1944), lot 639; Clifford T. Weihman; Josiah K. Lilly; Smithsonian Institution.

Additional Appearances

A. Good. John G. Kellogg, et al (Thomas Elder, 10/1916), lot 1339. B. Extremely Fine, prooflike. Sale 416 (Morgenthau, 6/1940), lot 145.

C. Fine, formerly mounted. R.L. Wilson Sale (Stack's, 10/1959), lot 1111; Golden Sale (Kreisberg-Schulman, 3/1962), lot 2678. D. G-VG. Jacob Shapiro, a.k.a. J.F. Bell; J.F. Bell Collection

(RARCOA, 4/1963), lot 392.

E. Good. Charles Williams; Adolphe Menjou Collection (Numismatic Gallery, 6/1950), lot 1616.

Note 1: The following coin has been graded as a business strike in the past, and still appears in the NGC Census, but it is actually a circulated proof:

AU55 NGC. 1992 GNA Sale (Mid-American Rare Coins, 5/1992), lot 1435; Richmond Collection, Part I (David Lawrence Rare Coins, 7/2004), lot 2102.

Note 2: This coin has been listed in previous rosters, but John Dannreuther notes it is actually an altered date:

XF45. Possibly Louis Eliasberg, Sr.; H.R. Lee Collection (Stack's, 10/1947), lot 1530; James A. Stack; James Stack Collection (Stack's, 3/1995), lot 610.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 54UH, PCGS# 8672

1875-CC Eagle, AU50 Only Branch Mint Issue of the Year





3287 1875-CC AU50 NGC. Variety 2-B. The 1875-CC is similar to the 1876-CC in terms of overall rarity. In About Uncirculated, the 1875-CC seems a touch more available. There are an estimated 125 to 150 pieces known with most in lower grades. Population figures from both services for coins graded AU50 to AU55 appear heavily inflated by resubmissions. This can be verified by the lack of auction records for the 1875-CC in this grade range for the last five or so years.

Since the beginning of 2012, just two AU50 1875-CC eagles have been sold at auction. In January 2012, Heritage sold a PCGS coin for \$12,650 while in January 2015, Heritage sold this exact coin for \$12,925. The present coin is about average for the date, with weakness on the hair, facial features, and left stars. The reverse displays more detail, but wear shows more on the high points. The surfaces are an attractive medium greenish-gold, and abrasions are minimal for the grade.

Ex: Fort Worth Signature (Heritage, 3/2010), lot 2453; FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2015), lot 7230, where it brought \$12,925.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2688, PCGS# 8673

1876 Ten Dollar, AU55 Only 687 Circulation Strikes





3288 1876 AU55 PCGS. CAC. A scant 687 business strikes were produced of this issue, which gives the 1876 the second-lowest mintage in the entire series after the extremely rare 1875. The 1876 is a very scarce coin, although it has become more available in the last decade as some examples have been located in overseas hoards of U.S. gold coins. In all, there are around 40 to 50 pieces known with almost none of these grading lower than XF40. It appears that the 1876 eagle did not see heavy circulation, and as a result many of the survivors are scuffy About Uncirculated coins. This date is rare in AU55 and AU58, and it is unique in Uncirculated with a single PCGS MS60, ex: Simpson / Hall.

Since the middle of 2009, there have been only three auction records for PCGS-certified coins of this date. The most recent is from the FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2019), lot 4698, which sold for \$22,800. Two other coins were sold at auction by Heritage: one in April 2017 for \$28,200 and another in June 2015 for \$28,200. None of these three coins were approved by CAC nor were they as choice as the Jacobson coin. CAC has approved four pieces in this grade with just one finer, an AU58.

This coin is comfortably within the Condition Census for the issue and given the fact that it is PCGS/CAC and nice for the issue, it is likely among the finest examples available of this ultralow mintage rarity. Both sides display original orange and olive-gold coloration with bold detail and just a few trivial marks.

Obtained via private treaty from Douglas Winter Numismatics in November 2015.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265C, PCGS# 8674

1876-CC Eagle, XF45 Only 100 to 125 Examples Known



3289 1876-CC XF45 PCGS. Variety 1-A. This date has a small mintage of 4,696 pieces but it is slightly more available than one might expect; still, only 100 to 125 examples are known. Many of the survivors are in low grades and there are a number of pieces in the XF40 to AU50 range. This date becomes rare in AU53 and it is very rare in the higher AU grades. There are just three coins known in PCGS AU58 (the last one of these to sell brought \$57,500 in Stack's Bowers 2012 ANA), and there are no Uncirculated 1876-CC eagles.

Since the beginning of 2006, there have been five coins graded XF45 by PCGS that have sold at auction. The most recent sale is from the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2014), lot 4204, which brought \$10,575. This is a lovely piece with excellent surfaces for the grade. While minor abrasions are noted on both sides, they are entirely trivial and inconsequential. Yellow-gold luster is still visible in the protected areas, while faint orange toning remains, especially on the reverse.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 54UL, PCGS# 8675

1876-S Ten Dollar, AU53 A Rare, Low-Mintage Issue



3290 1876-S AU53 PCGS. Of all the eagles struck at the San Francisco mint, the 1876-S has the second lowest mintage (after the 1860-S). There were only 5,000 coins struck and this issue is rare in all grades. There are 60 to 70 coins known with many of these grading XF45 and below. PCGS shows a population of 17 pieces in the lower About Uncirculated grades (10 in AU50 and seven in AU53), but these figures are inflated by resubmissions. There are likely no more than a dozen examples known in AU, and the 1876-S is rare in AU55 and virtually unknown finer. The finest known is the NGC/CAC AU58 that brought \$33,600 in the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4298.

Since the middle of 2000, there have been just two 1876-S eagles graded AU53 by PCGS that sold at auction. The most recent record is from the Bently Collection (Heritage, 3/2014), lot 30385, at \$12,925. The only PCGS AU55 to sell in over two decades brought \$22,325 in the Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 11/2013), lot 2223.

This piece almost certainly qualifies at the lower end of the Condition Census and it represents just about the finest quality available for this rare, overlooked date. Luster remains in the fields, and the devices are sharp. The only mentionable abrasion is a light pinscratch on the reverse below the olive branch.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265E, PCGS# 8676

1877 Liberty Eagle, AU58 Only 797 Examples Struck



3291 1877 AU58 PCGS. The 1877 has the third lowest mintage figure of any Liberty Head eagle made for circulation with only 797 pieces struck. The 1877 is a bit more available than its counterparts from 1873 and 1876 and there are an estimated 45-55 known. This date saw limited circulation and it appears that many were shipped overseas. As a result, a number of 1877 eagles have been repatriated and have found eager collectors in the United States. Most examples are prooflike and heavily abraded.

This date is rare in properly graded AU55 to AU58 and it is extremely rare in Uncirculated with just three known. These are as follows:

- 1. MS61 PCGS. CAC. Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 3/2015), lot 6099, realized \$64,625.
- **2. MS61 PCGS.** Pre-Long Beach Sale (Goldberg, 2/2007), lot 2415, realized \$42,550.
- 3. MS60 Prooflike PCGS. Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4299, realized \$50,400; Dallas Signature (Heritage, 11/2018), lot 3249, realized \$43,200; Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2019), lot 3901, realized \$31,200; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 10/2019), lot 3285, realized \$38,400 (designated as "PL").

Despite this date's obvious rarity, higher grade examples are reasonably priced and, in our opinion, the 1877 is among the most undervalued Philadelphia eagles in the entire series. This impressive near-Mint example exhibits sharply detailed design elements, with just a trace of friction on the high points. The moderately abraded yellow-gold surfaces show much prooflike reflectivity in sheltered areas. Eye appeal is outstanding.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265F, PCGS# 8677

1877-CC Ten Dollar, AU55 Elusive Issue in High Grade Condition Census Example



3292 1877-CC AU55 PCGS. Variety 1-A. Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection. From a mintage of 3,332 pieces, the 1877-CC is among the rarest Carson City eagles in high grade. Fewer than 10 About Uncirculated examples are known and this issue does not exist in Uncirculated. The finest known are a pair of PCGS AU58s, followed by two PCGS AU55s (including this specimen), with a single AU58 at NGC, followed by four examples in AU55 (1/20). Some of these citations may represent duplicate submissions of the same coins.

For many years, the true rarity of this date was underestimated but it has been better understood in the last decade or so; today the 1877-CC is regarded as a key issue in the popular Carson City eagle subset.

The two finest known are as follows:

1. AU58 PCGS. Harry Bass Collection, Part III (Bowers and Merena, 5/2000), lot 690, where it sold for \$41,400 (as a PCGS AU55); Northern California Collection; Douglas Winter Numismatics, 2019; DL Hansen Collection.

2. AU58 PCGS. Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4300, where it brought \$102,000.

The Jacobson coin is the first PCGS-certified AU55 to sell at auction since July 2002 and it is high in the Condition Census for this date. The design elements were strongly impressed, aside from a touch of softness on the arrow fletchings. Only light wear shows on the devices and a clash mark is evident above the eagle's right (facing) wing. The devices exhibit the expected number of minor abrasions and some chatter is evident in the fields. The vivid yellow and orange-gold surfaces retain much of their original mint luster and overall eye appeal is quite strong. This is an important coin for the specialist.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265G, PCGS# 8678

1877-S Eagle, AU55 Seldom Offered in a PCGS Holder





3293 1877-S AU55 PCGS. The 1877-S is a much scarcer date than generally regarded and it is a legitimately rare coin in AU55 and higher. This date appears to be unique in Uncirculated — an NGC MS61 brought \$31,200 in the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4302 — and the current population of seven grading events in PCGS is almost certainly inflated by resubmissions.

Since early 1997, only four PCGS-certified AU55 1877-S eagles have sold at auction. The most recent was in Regency Auction 30 (Legend, 1/2019), lot 428, at \$3,760.

This coin offers a lot of "bang for the buck" and it would not be easy to locate a finer 1877-S eagle than this. The centers are well-defined, though the outer stars show a touch of softness. Highly appealing despite minor wear on the devices and a number of light, scattered abrasions.

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2007), lot 3188, where it realized \$4,370.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265H, PCGS# 8679

1878 Ten Dollar, MS63 CAC Endorsed in a Green Label Holder





3294 1878 MS63 PCGS. CAC. Beginning with this year, mintage figures for Philadelphia eagles increased significantly and these issues are far more available in higher grades than their counterparts from 1862 through 1877. The 1878 is somewhat scarce in the MS63 to MS64 range but it is virtually unobtainable finer with just two PCGS MS64+ coins and a single MS65 certified at this service (12/19).

This choice coin is housed in a green label PCGS holder and it is attractive for the assigned grade. Frosty yellow and peach-gold luster adorns sharp devices and shows remarkably few abrasions. For most collectors anything in grades higher than MS63 for this issue would be an overbuy, which makes this nice MS63 a perfect coin for a high-quality Liberty Head eagle set.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265J, PCGS# 8680

1878-CC Eagle, AU50 Rare Carson City Issue





3295 1878-CC AU50 NGC. Variety 1-A. With a mintage of just 3,244 pieces the 1878-CC is among the rarest eagles from this mint. There are fewer than 100 examples known and this issue is very difficult to locate in About Uncirculated grades. There are likely only a half dozen or so that grade AU55, plus another one or two in AU58, and a single Uncirculated coin graded MS62 at NGC.

Since February 2005, only two NGC AU50s have sold at auction; these brought \$19,975 in April 2014 and \$16,800 in September 2017. This date is rare and expensive in grades finer than AU50. The present coin displays light wear but retains bold detail, with natural olive-gold patina overall. Light contact marks are not bothersome.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265K, PCGS# 8681

1878-S Ten Dollar, AU58 Exceptionally Lustrous for the Grade



3296 1878-S AU58 PCGS. The 1878-S is the second most available San Francisco eagle from the 1870s, after the 1879-S. It is common in grades through AU55, scarce in AU58, and rare in Uncirculated with just two or three pieces known. The finest, by a considerable margin, is a PCGS MS64 which last sold for \$30,415 in Heritage's Exclusively Internet Auction (7/2004), lot 13996.

A total of five PCGS AU58 1878-S eagles have sold at auction

A total of five PCGS AU58 1878-S eagles have sold at auction since the beginning of 2012 with all of these bringing in the \$3,000 to \$4,000 range, save for a choice CAC coin that brought a strong \$9,000 in the 2018 ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4244. This piece is boldly detailed with ample luster and little wear. The smooth, satiny wheat-gold surfaces reveal few contact marks.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265L, PCGS# 8682

1879 Eagle, MS65 An Elusive High-Grade Pre-1880 Ten



3297 1879 MS65 PCGS. The 1879 eagle is common in grades through MS63 and it is scarce in MS64. Gems, however, are rare and PCGS has graded just this one coin in MS65, plus two pieces in MS66. The undisputed finest known is an NGC MS67 which brought a record \$66,700 in Bowers and Merena (8/2007), lot 1875.

There are just two auction records for this date in PCGS MS65, including this coin (see the pedigree below for further information). This 1879 eagle is among the finest known and it represents an unusual opportunity to acquire a pre-1880 Liberty Head ten dollar in Gem Uncirculated. The surfaces are pristine with brilliant light yellow luster and faint traces of rose toning. There are few marks of any kind, and the strike is bold with virtually full design definition. Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2012), lot 4981, where it sold for \$12,650.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265M, PCGS# 8683

1879-CC Ten Dollar, AU58 One of the Finest Known Only Two in this Grade





3298 1879-CC AU58 PCGS. Variety 1-A. This issue has the lowest mintage of any gold coin struck at the Carson City mint (only 1,762 pieces were produced), and a compelling case can be made for claiming the 1879-CC is the rarest eagle from this facility. There are an estimated 40 to 50 examples known in all grades with fewer than 10 specimens in About Uncirculated. This date is rare in AU55 to AU58, and it is unique in Uncirculated with an NGC MS62 clearly the finest known.

There are two PCGS AU58 1879-CC eagles:

1. AU58 PCGS. Harry Bass Collection (Bowers and Merena, 10/1999), lot 1573, where it brought \$48,300 (as a PCGS AU55); Northern California Collection; Douglas Winter Numismatics, 2019; DL Hansen Collection.

2. AU58 PCGS. Battle Born Collection (Stack's Bowers, 8/2012), lot 11744, where it sold for \$41,688 (as an NGC AU58); Douglas Winter Numismatics; New Mexico Collection; Douglas Winter Numismatics; Harvey Jacobson Collection.

The Jacobson coin is far and away the finest available 1879-CC eagle since the unique NGC MS62 and the Bass/Hansen PCGS AU58 are off the market indefinitely. As one would expect from an issue with such a low mintage, prooflike fields are frequently seen since the initial die polish did not diminish with only 1,762 coins struck. This piece shows nicely mirrored fields that are only interrupted by the numerous abrasions that accompany 1879-CC tens. Well, but not fully struck.

This is among the most important coins in the entire collection and we expect a strong result since the 1879-CC is missing from most advanced collections of Carson City eagles.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265N, PCGS# 8684

1879-O Ten Dollar, AU58 Only 1,500 Pieces Struck Second Rarest With Motto O-Mint Eagle



3299 1879-O AU58 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. With just 1,500 pieces struck, the 1879-O has the second lowest mintage of any eagle from New Orleans. It is the second rarest With Motto ten dollar from this mint after the 1883-O, and the fourth rarest eagle in terms of overall rarity after the 1883-O, 1859-O, and 1841-O. There are 70-80 pieces known with slightly more than two dozen in the various About Uncirculated grades and another three or four in Uncirculated.

This date saw little use in commerce and most were shipped overseas or to Southern banks; as a result, the surfaces on nearly all known 1879-O eagles are extensively abraded. These marks tend to be enhanced by the reflective surfaces which are seen on nearly every known example. On this particular piece, the fields display the expected reflectivity, and while abrasions are present they are not as deep as usually seen. The strike is strong throughout and the bright yellow-gold surfaces show a few faint streaks of red, perhaps alloy streaks.

The Jacobson coin was obtained by private treaty in 2007 and it represents excellent quality for the date and grade. Since the spring of 2006, just two PCGS AU58 1879-O eagles have sold at auction and these brought \$49,938 in September 2015 and \$51,700 in March 2017. Heritage has not sold a PCGS AU58 since April 2006.

The finest known 1879-O, a PCGS MS61, is off the market indefinitely, as is the second finest, an NGC MS61. This choice PCGS AU58 is likely the nicest 1879-O eagle the advanced collector of New Orleans eagles is likely to have a chance of owning.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265P, PCGS# 8685

1879-S Ten Dollar, MS63 Conditionally Scarce





3300 1879-S MS63 NGC. The 1879-S is common in grades up through MS62, but it is rare in MS63 and virtually unknown finer. PCGS has graded just six pieces in MS63 with a single coin better: an MS65. There have been four sales at auction for this date since late 2012 with the most recent being Heritage (3/2019), lot 3295, that sold for \$4,920. The present coin is outstanding for the grade, showing tan-gold luster and bold definition of the devices. Neither side has singular abrasions of note.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265R, PCGS# 8686

1880 Eagle, MS64 Conditionally Scarce P-Mint





3301 1880 MS64 PCGS. CAC. This date is moderately scarce in MS64, but it is rare any finer with the finest known a single MS65+ graded by PCGS. That coin brought a strong \$31,200 in the Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2018), lot 4375. This more accessible MS64 coin displays sharp detail and vibrant lemon-gold surfaces. Only faint surface grazes are seen with a loupe, preventing Gem classification.

Ex: Baltimore Auction (Bowers and Merena, 11/2006), lot 3835, where it brought \$7,188.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265S, PCGS# 8687

1880-CC Ten Dollar Liberty, AU58 Challenging in High Grade





3302 1880-CC AU58 PCGS. Variety 1-B. The 1880-CC is the second most available date from this mint struck in the 1880s. It has become somewhat available in the higher About Uncirculated grades but remains rare in Uncirculated with no more than four or five pieces known. The finest 1880-CC eagle is an NGC/CAC MS62 that realized an amazing \$90,000 as part of the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4306. A second MS62 was graded many years ago by NGC and it has not been seen since it was sold for \$27,600 in the 2005 FUN Auction. Only one PCGS AU58 1880-CC eagle has sold at auction since July 2013 and it brought \$10,200 at the FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2019), lot 5796.

With Uncirculated examples of this date now priced out of reach for most collectors, this nice AU58 represents a smart purchase for the savvy specialist. Barely a trace of wear is seen across the devices and in the fields, with the peripheral fields retaining ample luster. The rich lemon-gold coloration is original.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265T, PCGS# 8688

1880-O Ten Dollar, MS62 Likely the Second-Finest Known CAC Approved





3303 1880-O MS62 PCGS. CAC. Variety 2. The 1880-O is the third scarcest With Motto eagle from New Orleans after the rare 1883-O and 1879-O issues. Due to recent finds in European hoards, it has become more obtainable in circulated grades, but remains rare in Uncirculated with fewer than 10 pieces extant.

This is the second finest known 1880-O eagle and it is exceeded only by a PCGS MS64 which sold in the Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 3/2017), lot 3120 for a record-smashing \$129,250. The Jacobson coin is the next highest graded by PCGS (and the only MS62 from this service). The third finest is likely the NGC MS62 in the New England Collection.

This piece has never before appeared for sale at auction and it represents an important opportunity for the advanced collector of New Orleans eagles. CAC endorsed, it displays satiny, minimally marked luster in rich straw-gold hues. Eye appeal is outstanding for the grade. CAC: 1 in 62, 0 finer (1/20).

Ex: Cajun Collection of New Orleans Gold Coinage (sold by Douglas Winter Numismatics in 2019); obtained via private treaty from Douglas Winter Numismatics in January 2019.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265U, PCGS# 8689

1880-S Eagle, MS64 Incredible Eye Appeal





3304 1880-S MS64 PCGS. This is a common date in grades up through MS63 but it is scarce in MS64. At the end of 2019, PCGS had still not graded an 1880-S eagle in MS65 or higher. Surprisingly, only five PCGS MS64 examples of this date have sold at auction since 2006 and the most recent price realized at auction was a strong \$8,400 set by Heritage in the 2018 ANA Signature, lot 4250. That coin was approved by CAC and it is high end for the grade.

This piece has been off the market for nearly a decade and it represents the best available quality for the issue. It has a peachgold center framed by a slender peripheral band of sea-green toning. The strike is intricate and there are no detracting marks.

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2012), lot 4661, where it sold for \$7,638.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265V, PCGS# 8690

1881 Ten Dollar, MS64 Vibrantly Lustrous, Green Label Holder





3305 1881 MS64 PCGS. As one might expect for an issue with a mintage of 3.8 million business strikes, the 1881 eagle is easily located through MS64. Gems are rare and PCGS still has graded just a single coin finer (12/19).

This is an uncommonly choice coin for the grade that is housed in an older PCGS holder and it has not been offered for sale since 2006. Luster is frosted and displays rich orange-gold color. Abrasions are pleasantly absent.

Ex: American Numismatic Rarities (6/2006), lot 2605, where it sold for \$5,060.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265W, PCGS# 8691

1881-CC Eagle, AU58 Substantial Remaining Luster





3306 1881-CC AU58 PCGS. Variety 1-A. By a large margin, this is the most available Carson City eagle in circulated grades until the common issues from the 1890s. There are dozens of 1881-CC eagles known in AU58 and this is a popular grade for this issue as Uncirculated pieces are expensive and fairly difficult to locate.

Fewer PCGS AU58 1881-CC eagles have appeared for sale at auction in the last decade than one would think, given the current PCGS population of 38 pieces in this grade. There have been seven auction appearances with the most recent from the Dallas Signature (Heritage, 12/2018), lot 4304, where it realized \$4,440. The Jacobson coin is a well-struck, high quality example. Impressive peripheral luster is surprisingly devoid of bothersome abrasions.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265X, PCGS# 8692

1881-O Ten Dollar, AU55 Conditionally Challenging





3307 1881-O AU55 PCGS. Variety 1. Thanks to overseas hoards, this date has become far more available than it was as recently as a decade ago. However, the 1881-O remains rare in Uncirculated with fewer than a dozen pieces known and virtually all of them fall in the MS60 to MS61 grade range. The 1881-O remains a date that is not regularly seen with natural color and more than 90% of the known pieces — even those in the Condition Census — are plagued by excessive abrasions. Four 1881-O eagles graded AU55 by PCGS sold at auction in 2019 and prices ranged from a low of \$3,120 to a high of \$4,320. This Choice AU coin is sharply detailed, with remaining luster beneath the delicate honey-gold surfaces. Population: 21 in 55, 22 finer (1/20).

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2015), lot 7233, where it sold for \$3,877.50.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265Y, PCGS# 8693

1881-S Ten Dollar Liberty, MS63 CAC Endorsed, Among the Finest at PCGS





3308 1881-S MS63 PCGS. CAC. Ex: The Fairmont Collection. The 1881-S eagle is an unusual date in that it is common in grades through MS63 but it is virtually unknown finer. In fact, the best PCGS has graded are a pair of MS63+ coins. The high-grade rarity of this date is attributable to the shipment of coins that were loose in bags to overseas sources; in the process of being transported, they were subject to contact with other coins. The Jacobson coin is lustrous and sharp, and the yellow-gold surfaces are devoid of significant distractions. Population: 66 in 63 (2 in 63+), 0 finer. CAC: 5 in 63, 0 finer (1/20).

Ex: Fairmount Collection; ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4256, where it sold for \$1,020.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265Z, PCGS# 8694

1882 Eagle, MS64 The Finest Quality Generally Obtainable





3309 1882 MS64 PCGS. As with a number of common date Liberty Head eagles from this era, the 1882 can be located through MS64 but it is rare in Gem condition. The only piece graded higher than MS64+ at PCGS is an incredible CAC-approved MS66 (housed in an old green label holder and likely an MS67 or even a bit finer by today's standards), which brought an equally incredible \$64,625 as lot 3472 in the 2016 ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2016).

This PCGS MS64 would be nearly impossible to locate nicer and it takes a really dedicated collector to spring for the above-mentioned finest known 1882, should it become available again. Luster, in all of its abundance, displays rich peach-gold and yellow hues across surfaces that lack unsightly flaws. Strike sharpness is outstanding.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2010), lot 4046, where it realized \$3,220.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2662, PCGS# 8695

1882-CC Ten Dollar, AU55 Better Carson City Issue





is a low 6,764 pieces, and the 1882-CC is comparable in overall rarity to the 1883-CC and is scarcer than the 1884-CC. There are an estimated 200-250 examples known with the majority in lower grades. Choice AU is about as nice as this issue is found and AU58s are rare. This date has remained rare in Uncirculated with just two or three coins known, the finest of which is a single PCGS MS63.

For most collectors, a nice AU55 is a sensible grade for this issue. AU58s typically sell for double the price of an AU55 and there is often not enough of a visual difference to justify this extra cost. The present coin has relatively smooth surfaces with deep orange-gold patina and elements of luster.

Since the beginning of 2010, only six PCGS AU55 examples of this date have sold at auction and this includes a high-end piece that brought a healthy \$26,400 in the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4310.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2663, PCGS# 8696

1882-O Ten Dollar, MS60 Housed in a Green Label Holder





- 3311 1882-O MS60 PCGS. Variety 1. The 1882-O is the most available of the low-mintage trio of New Orleans eagles made between 1880 and 1882. It has become relatively available in circulated grades from hoards that have been uncovered in Europe. Uncirculated examples remain rare with around a dozen known; mostly in the MS60 to MS61 range. There are only two pieces known in PCGS MS63:
 - **1. MS63 PCGS. CAC.** Harry Bass Collection, Part IV (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000), lot 743, where it sold for \$13,800; New England Collection via Douglas Winter Numismatics.
 - **2. MS63 PCGS**. ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2007), lot 1950, where it brought \$37,375.

The Jacobson coin is listed in the Condition Census for this date in Doug Winter's recent book on New Orleans gold. It is one of two PCGS MS60 1882-O eagles known in a green label holder; the other brought \$12,600 in the Heritage 2/2018 sale of the Admiral Collection. This piece is well-struck and beautifully toned in shades of deep orange-red, with glints of hazel-silver near the rims and on the high points.

Ex: Baltimore Signature (Heritage, 3/2009), lot 3106, where it realized \$7.475

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55GJ, PCGS# 8697

1882-S Eagle, MS63 Underrated San Francisco Issue





3312 1882-S MS63 PCGS. This date remains scarce in MS63 and it is rare any finer. PCGS has a current population of just one each in MS63+, MS64, and MS65 (12/19). The current finest known is an NGC MS65 coin sold by Heritage for \$28,200 in the Beverly Hills Signature (11/2014). The Jacobson MS63 piece has attractive rose toning over brilliant and lustrous yellow surfaces with sharp design motifs and trivial marks.

Ex: Beverly Hills Signature (Heritage, 11/2011), lot 4372; Philadelphia Auction (Stack's Bowers, 9/2013), lot 3455, where it realized \$4,113. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55GK, PCGS# 8698

1883 Ten Dollar Liberty, MS63 Important CAC Approved Example





3313 1883 MS63 PCGS. CAC. The 1883 is one of the more unusual common date Liberty Head eagles of this era. It is easily located in grades through MS63, but it remains rare above this. The most recent (12/19) PCGS population shows five coins graded MS63+ with only four pieces finer, all in MS64. There is a single Gem currently known and it brought \$34,500 in Goldberg Auctions (10/2000), lot 1055. It is possible that a few more MS64s will be discovered in overseas holdings, but it is unlikely that any more Gems will appear.

The last CAC-approved PCGS MS63 1883 eagle to sell at auction brought \$900 in the Dallas Signature (Heritage, 11/2018), lot 4121. The Jacobson coin is sharp and vibrantly lustrous, showing rich straw-gold and lemon-yellow color. Only trivial signs of contact are present, hence the CAC endorsement. Ex: Simpson-Hall.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2666, PCGS# 8699

1883-CC Ten Dollar, AU55 Undervalued Carson City Eagle





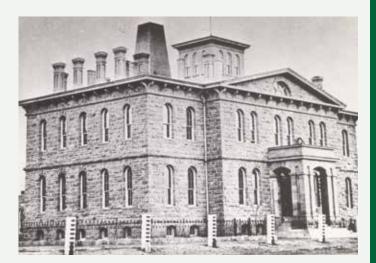
3314 1883-CC AU55 PCGS. Variety 1-A. The 1883-CC is the scarcest of the five Carson City eagles made during the 1880s. It is an underappreciated issue and many of the examples graded AU55 or even AU58 by the two services show weakness of strike and appear to lack originality. An AU55 is about as nice as this issue generally comes and an 1883-CC in AU58 is scarce. This date is rare in Uncirculated with three or so pieces known, all in the MS60 to MS61 grade range. Two PCGS MS61s were located in Europe a few years ago and these brought \$41,125 in the Winter Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 10/2014), lot 10025, and an impressive \$64,625 in the 2013 New Orleans Auction (Stack's Bowers, 4/2013), lot 1360.

Since June 2008, there have been just five auction records for this date in PCGS AU55, and only one of these (from Heritage's Dallas Signature, April 2017) could be termed "choice."

This attractive Choice AU specimen exhibits sharply detailed design elements, with just a trace of high-point wear. The lightly abraded yellow and greenish-gold surfaces are lustrous and appealing. In our opinion, this date is undervalued when compared to the 1880-CC, 1882-CC, and 1884-CC.

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 2007, where it realized \$6,900.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2667, PCGS# 8700



1883-O Ten Dollar, AU50, Gold CAC Label Outstanding Quality for the Grade Premier Rarity, Just 800 Coins Struck





3315 1883-O AU50 PCGS. Gold CAC. Variety 1. The 1883-O is the rarest New Orleans eagle of both No Motto and With Motto design types, and it has the lowest mintage of any gold coin from this mint with just 800 pieces struck. It trails just two double eagles — the 1854-O and the 1856-O — for the honor of the rarest gold coin from this mint and it is far more affordable than its double eagle counterparts.

An estimated 45 to 55 examples are known of this date with around a dozen in the various About Uncirculated grades and another two or three pieces in mint condition. The two finest known are a PCGS MS61 in the Tyrant Collection, which is ex: Simpson/Hall, and an NGC MS61 that was sold via private treaty by Douglas Winter Numismatics in January 2008 and had sold as an NGC MS60 in the ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/1999), lot 8139.

The Jacobson coin is a remarkable 1883-O eagle as it is housed in an old green label PCGS holder and is conservatively graded. The surfaces are reddish tinted and the fields retain significant prooflikeness, as always. However, this piece lacks the usual heavy abrasions seen on almost all examples, which goes far toward explaining the Gold CAC sticker. This is the only 1883-O eagle with a CAC gold label (indicating that CAC regards it as undergraded), and it is clearly the single most valuable and important Liberty Head eagle of any design type with a CAC gold sticker.

For the collector who wants all the "bells and whistles" possible, this is the ultimate 1883-O eagle. Beyond its rarity, it is one heckuva coin as well.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2668, PCGS# 8701

1883-S Eagle, MS63 Low-Mintage Issue Tied for Second Finest Certified





3316 1883-S MS63 PCGS. The 1883-S is scarce in lower Uncirculated grades, but it remains rare in MS63 and unique at PCGS in grades higher than this. The single finest known is a beautiful PCGS MS66 that brought \$36,800 in the FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2005), lot 30645.

The mintage figure of this date is low enough to lead us to believe that it will remain scarce in MS63 and higher grades, although we would not be surprised if a number of MS60 to MS62 examples are located in overseas hoards. Only three PCGS MS63 1883-S eagles have sold at auction since May 2013 with the most recent bringing \$7,750 at David Lawrence (2/2019), lot 7423. This piece exhibits the strong, frosted mint luster one would expect from an S-mint product. The strike is strong throughout, and a few medium-sized abrasions are the limits to the MS63 grade. Population: 7 in 63, 1 finer (1/20).

Ex: Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 5/2013), lot 2543, where it realized \$8,519.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2669, PCGS# 8702

1884 Ten Dollar Liberty, MS63 Problem-Free for This Often Problematic Issue





3317 1884 MS63 PCGS. This date was formerly rare in MS63 but at least a dozen pieces — if not more — have come onto the market in the last few years from overseas hoards. In grades higher than this, though, the 1884 eagle remains rare as seen by a current PCGS population of five pieces in MS64 and just one finer, graded MS65 (12/19).

MS63 seems like good value for this issue. This grade still gives the knowledgeable collector a nice coin for the grade at around one-fifth the price of a low-population MS64. Because so many surviving examples were stored overseas for decades, abrasions are usually a problem. This is a sharply detailed piece with no mentionable marks, strong eye appeal, and softly frosted mint luster.

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 2010, where it realized \$3,738.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 554S, PCGS# 8703

1884-CC Eagle, AU55 CAC Approved Example





3318 1884-CC AU55 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1-A. After 9,925 eagles were produced at Carson City in 1884, this mint did not strike the denomination again until 1890. The 1884-CC becomes difficult to locate — and expensive — in any grade above AU55, and it remains a rare issue in Uncirculated with an estimated seven or eight pieces currently known.

This is one of seven 1884-CC eagles in AU55 that have been approved by CAC (with eight finer) and it is a choice, attractive example that would be difficult to improve upon. The sharply detailed design elements are lightly worn and the orange-gold surfaces show the expected number of minor abrasions for the grade.

Since early 2011, three PCGS AU55 1884-CC eagles have sold at auction, and two were CAC-approved. These brought \$7,200 in the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/2018), and \$6,600 in the Premier Session (Legend, 11/2017). Population: 26 in 55, 27 finer. CAC: 7 in 55, 8 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266B, PCGS# 8704

1884-S Eagle, MS63 Tied For Finest Certified





3319 1884-S MS63 PCGS. As recently as a decade ago, the 1884-S eagle was a rare date in MS63. With the addition of a decent number of nice pieces into the market, it is now only "scarce." However, this issue remains unknown at PCGS above MS63. Only one PCGS MS63 has sold at public auction since April 2016 and it brought \$2,880 at the ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4266. Deep orange-gold color is seen across each side with a faint glimmer of green around the margins. Lightly abraded. Ex: FUN Signature (1/2013), lot 7366, where it realized \$5,581.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 554U, PCGS# 8705

1885 Eagle, MS63 Few Finer Pieces Known





3320 1885 MS63 PCGS. As with the 1884, this date used to be scarce in MS63, but a number of choice pieces have entered the market beginning around five years ago. Today, the 1885 is fairly easy to locate in this grade but it remains scarce in MS64 and it is rare in Gem. The unquestioned finest known is from the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4314, graded MS66 by NGC and approved by CAC, which sold for a whopping \$66,000.

This coin will sell for just a small premium over generic levels for the issue but it represents a lot of "bang for the buck" as do many of the eagles from the early-to-mid 1880s. Luster is soft and abundant, forming bands of peach-orange cartwheels on each side. Abrasions are light and undisturbing, and there is a hint of reflectivity in the fields. Population: 51 in 63, 15 finer (1/20). Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 10/2006), lot 2965, where it sold for

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From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266D, PCGS# 8706

1885-S Ten Dollar, MS63 Rare CAC-Approved Example





3321 1885-S MS63 PCGS. CAC. In MS63, the 1885-S eagle is essentially a generic date but it is rare in MS64. Surprisingly, PCGS has yet to grade a single example in MS65 or finer (12/19). Only one example of this date graded MS63 was sold at auction in all of 2019 and it lacked a CAC sticker. This piece is one of only eight coins in this and finer condition with CAC recognition. Detail is sharp, and the peach-yellow luster is just as luminous on the devices as it is in the fields, where myriad unimportant abrasions are barely noticed. CAC: 7 in 63, 1 finer (12/19).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 554W, PCGS# 8707

1886 Ten Dollar, MS64 The Simpson-Hall Coin





3322 1886 MS64 PCGS. CAC. Ex: Simpson-Hall. An MS64 coin represents the ultimate grade for this underappreciated issue since there is just one piece graded finer at PCGS, an MS64+. The finest 1886 eagle we have seen was a PCGS/CAC MS64 in an old green label holder that brought a stunning \$31,200 in the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4315. Most observers graded this coin an MS65+ or better. That said, the coin does not appear to have graded MS65 or finer; someone owns a very expensive — albeit very nice — MS64.

Since the beginning of 2010, only three PCGS MS64 1886 eagles have sold at auction. This coin is one of only seven pieces graded MS64 by PCGS with a single coin finer, the above-cited 64+ (12/19), yet it is relatively affordable. Rich antique-gold luster with yellowish tendencies adorns each side, complementing sharp design elements. Minimal signs of contact are discernible. Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266F, PCGS# 8708

1886-S Eagle, MS64 A Challenging Acquisition in High Grade





3323 1886-S MS64 PCGS. The 1886-S is significantly more available than its Philadelphia counterpart, but it is not a common date in MS64. Gems are rare and the small number that exist trace their origin to the Saddle Ridge Hoard. The finest 1886-S eagles to appear on the market are from a small group of PCGS MS64+ pieces. This example softly and beautifully lustrous, yielding peachgold and greenish hues on the obverse with deeper lilac and orangegold reverse coloration. The strike is sharp. Population: 48 in 64 (8 in 64+), 4 finer (1/20).

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2007), lot 3199, where it realized \$5.463.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 554Y, PCGS# 8709

1887 Ten Dollar, MS62 Low-Mintage Issue





3324 1887 MS62 PCGS. The mintage for circulation strike 1887 eagles was only 53,600 pieces (the lowest at Philadelphia since 1877), and this date is relatively scarce in MS62. The 1887 is rare in MS63, and PCGS has graded just two coins finer, both MS64.

The fact that this coin "only" grades MS62 is a good indication of its scarcity in higher grades. Satiny luster complements sharp detail on both sides, with cartwheel bands of yellow-gold color attracting the eye, transitioning to reflectivity when tilted beneath a light. Population: 29 in 62 (1 in 62+), 8 finer (1/20).

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2009), lot 5582, where it sold for \$3.593.75.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266H, PCGS# 8710

1887-S Ten Dollar, MS64 Conditionally Scarce Issue, CAC-Approved





3325 1887-S MS64 NGC. CAC. In grades through MS63, this issue is little more than a generic issue, but MS64s are much scarcer than generally realized with just five pieces graded by PCGS and only one better, an MS64+. The finest known is a single NGC MS65 that brought a strong \$25,850 at the Americana Auction (Stack's Bowers, 2/2015), lot 2570.

There are just three MS64 examples of this date that have been stickered at CAC with none finer (1/20). This coin is vibrantly lustrous and sharp. Original orange-gold color lightens toward the centers, complementing a lack of significant abrasions.

Since 2006, five PCGS MS64 1887-S eagles have sold at auction with four of these in sales since the beginning of 2013. The most recent record was in the Regency Auction XIII (Legend, 9/2015), lot 272, a non-CAC coin.

Ex: Stack's Bowers (10/2006), lot 2253, where it brought \$4,312.50. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 5552, PCGS# 8711

1888 Eagle, MS63 Housed in a Green Label Holder





3326 1888 MS63 PCGS. CAC. This sounds like a broken record (and we are only through 1888) but this is another date that has a similar rarity profile: easy to find up through MS62, rare in MS63, and unavailable higher. In fact, the 1888 was essentially unknown above MS62 until around a decade ago; even today, PCGS has a population of only seven pieces in MS63 with one finer, a 63+ (12/19).

Since the beginning of 2010 there have been four PCGS MS63 1888 eagles sold at auction and only one since January 2015: a coin sold in the ANA Auction (Heritage, 8/2019), lot 4750, for \$6,600. This piece is fully struck and satiny with rich orange-gold luster that shows wisps of lemon-yellow intermingled.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266V, PCGS# 8712

1888-O Ten Dollar Liberty, MS62 Conditionally Elusive O-Mint Date





3327 1888-O MS62 PCGS. Variety 1. After a five-year hiatus, New Orleans resumed production of eagles with the 1888-O. This date is common in grades through MS62, slightly scarce in MS63, and unique finer with only a single PCGS/CAC MS64 currently known. This piece will be more accessible for the collector from a grade standpoint, although the quality that it displays for the MS62 level is sure to attract many collectors. Luster shimmers as it rolls across the satiny surfaces, illuminating sharp design elements and rich greenish-gold patina. Only faint signs of surface contact limit the grade.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266L, PCGS# 8713

1888-S Eagle, MS63 Seldom Offered Finer





3328 1888-S MS63 PCGS. This date is a generic issue in MS63, but it is scarce in MS64, and unknown finer. Peach and orange accents provide a pleasing appearance throughout attractive luster. A tiny spot of as-made struck-in grease is present near the center of the obverse but is only noticed under a loupe. An encapsulated thread appears near the E in AMERICA. PCGS and NGC combined have awarded higher numeric grades to only 17 examples (1/20). Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2013), lot 5283.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266M, PCGS# 8714

1889 Ten Dollar, MS61 Low-Mintage Issue





3329 1889 MS61 PCGS. The 1889 has the lowest number of circulation strikes for any Liberty Head eagle struck after 1883. Until a few years ago, this date was very scarce in MS61 but discoveries of coins in overseas sources have made this date more available in MS61. It remains scarce in MS62 and only one finer coin has been graded at PCGS, an MS62+. This piece shows expected prooflike reflectivity over orange-gold surfaces with a peppering of light abrasions but a bold strike. Population: 33 in 61, 12 finer (1/20).

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 5-6/2012), lot 5147.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266N, PCGS# 8715

1889-S Ten, MS63 Vibrant Mint Luster





3330 1889-S MS63 PCGS. The 1889-S eagle is a generic issue in grades through MS63 and it is moderately scarce in MS64. Only one Gem is known — graded MS65+ at PCGS — and it brought a stunning \$52,875 (as a PCGS MS65) in Heritage's New York Signature (11/2013). It was later sold as part of David Hall's set *en bloc* to collector Bob Simpson. This collectible MS63 coin displays vibrant orange-gold luster and sharp detail. Only light field marks are present, none being particularly bothersome.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267L, PCGS# 8716

1890 Eagle, MS63 Scarce and Underrated





3331 1890 MS63 PCGS. CAC. Ex: Simpson-Hall. The 1890 is common in grades through MS62, but it remains scarce in MS63, and it is rare above this with just one each in MS63+, MS64, and MS65, all at PCGS (12/19). The only Gem to sell at auction since 1995 realized \$16,450 in the ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2016), lot 4314.

Only five PCGS-certified MS63 1890 eagles have sold at auction since early 2008. The most recent transaction was in Heritage (3/2019), lot 4276, where that coin brought \$2,640. No CAC-approved MS63 has crossed the block in recent years. Well-struck design elements yield satiny luster, complementing cartwheel bands in the fields and original peach-orange color overall. Population: 17 in 63 (1 in 63+), 2 finer. CAC: 2 in 63, 0 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266R, PCGS# 8717

1890-CC Ten Dollar, MS61 Reflective Fields





3332 1890-CC MS61 PCGS. Variety 1-A. The 1890-CC eagle marks the first time this denomination was struck at the Carson City mint since 1884. It is common in grades through MS62, but scarce in MS63, and rare any finer. The highest graded coin at PCGS is a single MS64 that set a record for this issue when it brought \$80,500 in the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 5/2006). It later resold in Stack's Bowers 2012 ANA auction for \$54,625 as part of the Battle Born Collection.

Original apricot toning enriches this satiny and boldly impressed representative. A glass reveals small marks, but the overall appearance is clean for the usually abraded MS61 level. Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2008), lot 4451, where it brought \$4,075

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266S, PCGS# $8718\,$

1891 Eagle, CAC Endorsed MS64+ Condition Census Specimen





3333 1891 MS64+ PCGS. CAC. Ex: Simpson-Hall. The 1891 is common in grades through MS63, but it is a rare issue in MS64, and it is currently unknown finer at PCGS (NGC has graded a single piece in MS65). PCGS has certified just five examples in MS64, including this MS64+ specimen (12/19). The two most recent sales occurred in 2019 when examples brought \$10,200 in July and \$10,250 in February. It should be noted that neither of these pieces was CAC approved and it is likely that the Jacobson coin is a strong candidate for finest-known for the issue.

This Plus-graded Choice specimen offers sharply detailed design elements and well-preserved apricot-gold surfaces that radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides. Overall visual appeal is terrific. Population: 5 in 64 (1 in 64+), 0 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266T, PCGS# 8719

1891-CC Ten Dollar, MS63 Ex: Pittman, FS-501





3334 1891-CC/CC FS-501 MS63 PCGS. CAC. Variety 4-C. Ex: Pittman. By a large margin, the 1891-CC is the most obtainable Carson City eagle in all grades. It is common through MS63. In MS64, however, this date is surprisingly rare (only four have been graded by PCGS). The only Gem known is an NGC MS65 that brought a record-setting \$74,750 in Heritage's Long Beach Signature (9/2010), lot 5471; it later brought \$58,750 in Stack's Bowers' ANA Auction (8/2012), lot 11036.

This example has a great pedigree and it is clearly nicer than the majority of 1891-CC eagles graded MS63. Sharp devices join lovely straw-gold luster that reveals only minimal abrasions.

Ex: John Jay Pittman Collection (Åkers, 5/1988), lot 1970; Old West Collection (American Numismatic Rarities, 8/2006), lot 1357, where it sold for \$7,188.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266U, PCGS# 145728 Base PCGS# 8720

1892 Eagle, MS65 CAC Approved





3335 1892 MS65 PCGS. CAC. The 1892 is a generic issue through MS63, and it is moderately scarce in MS64. In Gem, however, it is rare with just three pieces graded MS65 by PCGS with two finer, an MS65+ and an MS66 (12/19).

The last auction appearance for an 1892 eagle certified by PCGS in MS65 is from the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2002), lot 8477, which brought \$6,038.

This is the only 1892 eagle graded MS65 to have been stickered by CAC with none finer (12/19).

This spectacular Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements and virtually flawless peach-gold surfaces that radiate vibrant mint luster throughout. For the collector seeking a special type coin to represent the Liberty Head With Motto ten dollar design, this piece is worth strong consideration.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266V, PCGS# 8721

1892-CC Ten Dollar, MS62+ Rarely Offered This Fine, FS-801





3336 1892-CC Tripled Die Reverse, FS-801, MS62+ PCGS. CAC. Variety 1-A. The 1892-CC is far scarcer than the common date 1891-CC eagle and it is not seen often in grades higher than MS62. The current PCGS population figures show two pieces certified in MS62+, one in MS63, and one in MS64 with none finer (12/19).

No PCGS MS62+ example of this date has ever sold at auction. The last CAC-approved PCGS MS62 was the Simpson-Hall coin that realized \$10,281 in the Regency Auction XIII (Legend, 9/2015), lot 276.

If one were available, a PCGS MS63 1892-CC eagle would likely bring in excess of \$25,000 to \$30,000, making this PCGS/CAC MS62+ an important alternative for the savvy specialist. Lustrous is radiant and bright yellow-gold in color. Strike sharpness is outstanding, and the surface preservation is manifested in the CAC green label. Population: 19 in 62 (2 in 62+), 2 finer. CAC: 4 in 62, 0 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266W, PCGS# 511600 Base PCGS# 8722

1892-O Eagle, MS62+ Rarely Seen Plus Designation





3337 1892-O MS62+ PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. The 1892-O is a common issue in grades through MS62, but it is scarce in MS63 with just seven currently graded as such by PCGS, and just one piece, an MS63+, has been graded higher (12/19).

This is a sensible coin for the New Orleans collector since an MS63 would likely bring at least twice what this nice MS62+ is likely to sell for. Nonetheless, it is high-end for the grade. Only five MS62s are Plus graded at PCGS (12/19). Luster glistens in strawgold hues, complementing sharp devices.

Ex: Fairmount Collection; ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4294, where it realized \$3,360.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266X, PCGS# 8723

1892-S Ten Dollar, MS63 Exceptional Surface Quality





3338 1892-S MS63 PCGS. The 1892-S has seen a considerable surge in population for coins in MS63 in the past few years. Nevertheless, this date remains rare in MS64 with just three pieces graded by PCGS; the finest known is a single PCGS MS65 that is ex: Eliasberg and Simpson/Hall. This lustrous lemon-gold example is sharply struck and has surprisingly few marks. A prize for the knowledgeable gold specialist. Population: 81 in 63 (5 in 63+), 4 finer (1/20). Ex: Parker Lee III Collection / FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2008), lot 4456, where it sold for \$3,37.50.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266Y, PCGS# 8724

1893 Ten Dollar, MS64 Few Pieces Are Known Finer





3339 1893 MS64 NGC. CAC. The 1893 is among the more common 19th century Liberty Head eagles in grades through MS64. It is still rare in MS65 with just five pieces certified in that grade at PCGS and two in MS65+ (12/19). The finest known is a single NGC MS66, which sold for \$10,350 in Heritage's Exclusively Internet Auction (6/2004), lot 12073; it has not been seen since. The bold strike and copper-hued, antique-gold patina are instantly appealing. Brilliant cartwheel luster emanates from the satiny surfaces, and perusal under a loupe reveals only minuscule, grade-consistent abrasions.

Ex: Denver Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 2031, where it brought \$2,300.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266Z, PCGS# 8725

1893-CC Ten Dollar, MS62 CAC, A Rare and Important Opportunity





3340 1893-CC MS62 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1-A. The 1893-CC is numismatically significant as the final eagle struck at the Carson City mint. There were only 14,000 pieces produced, and while this date is reasonably obtainable in all circulated grades, it is rare in mint condition with an estimated 10 pieces known. The finest are a small group of MS62s, and only three of these are PCGS-graded and CAC-certified:

1. MS62 PCGS. CAC. Regency Auction 30 (Legend, 1/2019), lot 433, where it brought \$49,938.

2. MS62 PCGS. CAC. Northern California Collection; Douglas Winter Numismatics, 8/2019; DL Hansen Collection.

3. MS62 PCGS. CAC. Obtained by Harvey Jacobson from Douglas Winter Numismatics at the 2019 FUN show. **The present example.**

The current PCGS population of seven pieces in MS62 is incorrect as it appears that the coin sold in the Legend auction cited above was resubmitted a number of times. We are aware of just four 1893-CC eagles in PCGS MS62 (with none finer), and the Jacobson coin is likely the only example that will be available for a number of years to come.

This is among the more important coins in the entire collection as it combines condition rarity and attractive preservation in one neat package. Luster is satiny and original, yielding straw-gold and peach-lilac hues. The strike is sharp, and only light marks are apparent beneath a loupe.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2672, PCGS# 8726

1893-O Ten Dollar Liberty, MS63 Conditionally Scarce





3341 1893-O MS63 PCGS. Variety 1. The 1893-O is a common date in grades through MS62. It remains scarce in MS63 and is currently unknown graded higher than this. PCGS has a population of 13 coins in MS63 (12/19)

Since the start of 2011, only three PCGS-certified MS63 1893-O eagles have sold at auction. This piece yields soft, satiny wheat-gold mint luster and sharp detail. Only the faintest surface contact marks are discernible, which is exceptional for the grade.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2673, PCGS# 8727

1893-S Eagle, MS63+ CAC-Approved





3342 1893-S MS63+ PCGS. CAC. This is a common issue in grades through MS63, but it is rare in MS64, and very rare finer. The three highest-graded examples at PCGS are an MS65, an MS66, and an MS67 (ex: Clapp/Eliasberg). The middle coin sold for a record \$43,125 in the FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2007), lot 3655.

This is the only MS63+ example of this date certified at PCGS, and given the relative unavailability (and high cost) of finer coins, this seems like a sensible piece for the condition-oriented Liberty Head eagle collector to add to a set. Both sides of this attractive Select Mint State example have satiny yellow luster with wisps of green color, especially near the borders. A small copper spot is noted between the eagle's beak and ribbon.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2012), lot 6572, where it realized \$3.450.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2674, PCGS# 8728

1894 Ten Dollar, MS63 Lustrous, Appealing Surfaces





3343 1894 MS63 PCGS. The 1894 is among the most common dates of this type and it is a generic issue in grades through MS64.

This date remains rare in MS65, but a quick look at auction records shows the danger of buying common coins in uncommon grades. When this date had a population of one with none finer, the sole Gem 1894 eagle sold at auction in the Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2011), lot 5430, for \$26,450. But the second coin to achieve this grade sold twice in 2019; once for \$7,800 (in May) and again in September for \$4,560.

This collectible MS63 piece displays sharp detail and rich orange-gold luster. Only a few light contact marks are in effect.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2675, PCGS# 8729

1894-O Ten, MS62 Slightly Reflective Fields





3344 1894-O MS62 PCGS. Variety 3. A few decades ago, the 1894-O eagle was scarce in MS62 and all but unknown finer. In 2020, it is common in MS62, somewhat scarce in properly graded MS63, and rare finer. The finest known is a sole NGC MS65, a coin that brought \$21,850 in the September 2005 American Numismatic Rarities auction. This coin displays subtle reflectivity in the fields amid rich lemon-gold patina. The strike is sharp and abrasions are minimal.

Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 11/2007), lot 2165, where it sold for \$2,070; Boston Rarities Auction (Bowers and Merena, 8/2010), lot 1771, where it realized \$1,725.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2676, PCGS# 8730

1894-S, MS61 Scarcer S-Mint Issue





3345 1894-S MS61 PCGS. The 1894-S eagle is a seldom-seen, low-mintage issue with just 25,000 pieces produced. It is scarce in Uncirculated with virtually every known piece in the MS60 to MS61 grade range, and characterized by scuffy surfaces. The finest known are a small group of MS62s, the last of which to sell at auction brought \$12,000 in the ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 1309.

This piece has been off the market since 2006, and when Harvey Jacobson acquired it, it was regarded as among the finer 1894-S eagles extant. The design elements are sharply detailed throughout and the lightly marked yellow-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster, with outstanding eye appeal. Population: 12 in 61, 7 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2677, PCGS# 8731

1895 Liberty Eagle, MS65+ Tied for Finest at PCGS





3346 1895 MS65+ PCGS. CAC. The 1895 is a generic issue in grades through MS64, but it is rare in Gem with just two pieces in MS65 and two in MS65+ at PCGS (12/19). A solitary NGC MS67 is the finest coin known and it sold for \$29,900 in July 2005. This piece is tied with one other as the finest 1895 eagle graded by PCGS and it would make an outstanding type coin for the collector seeking a single high-grade Liberty Head eagle to represent the With Motto design. This piece displays razor-sharp design elements set against frosty light reddish-gold surfaces that are devoid of bothersome abrasions.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2016), lot 5624; ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2016), lot 4316, where it realized \$14,100.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2678, PCGS# 8732

1895-O Ten Dollar, MS63





3347 1895-O MS63 PCGS. Variety 2. This date was formerly rare in MS63 but a number of nice examples have been repatriated to the U.S. coin market after years abroad in overseas bank holdings. This date is still unknown finer than MS63+ and nice MS63s have dropped enough in value for many collectors to consider this date in a grade they may have shunned as recently as five years ago. The present example displays luminous, frosty mint luster and rich wheat-gold color.

Ex: ANA Signature (Stack's Bowers, 8/2013), lot 5277, where it sold for \$5,561

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2679, PCGS# 8733

1895-S Eagle, MS61





3348 1895-S MS61 PCGS. CAC. Ex: The Fairmont Collection. The 1895-S is similar in overall rarity to the 1894-S, but it is slightly more available in Uncirculated condition. The vast majority of higher-grade pieces fall into the MS60 to MS62 range, but a small number of Superb pieces are known including at least one each graded MS66 and MS67 by PCGS.

The Jacobson coin is the only PCGS MS61 1895-S eagle to sell at auction since 2011 and it is among the few in this grade with CAC approval. Straw-gold luster is in abundance, and a small reed mark near star 6 is the only mentionable abrasion.

Ex: Fairmount Collection; ÁNA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4304, where it brought \$2,160.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267A, PCGS# 8734

1896 Ten Dollar, MS63 Eagle Housed in an Old Green Label Holder





3349 1896 MS63 PCGS. The 1896 is a generic issue in grades through MS63+. It remains slightly scarce in MS64, and PCGS has yet to grade an example of this date higher than MS64+. This impressive Select example displays sharply detailed design elements throughout and the lightly marked orange-gold surfaces surfaces show hints of lilac in selected areas. Vibrant mint luster adds to the terrific eye appeal.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267B, PCGS# 8735

1896-S Eagle, MS62 Green Label Holder





3350 1896-S MS62 PCGS. The mintage of this issue is significantly higher than for the 1894-S and 1895-S eagles, and the 1896-S is only moderately scarce in MS62. It is rare in MS63, and very rare finer; just one coin has been certified in MS64, MS65, and MS66 at PCGS. The finest known is the Clapp-Eliasberg MS68 graded by NGC. This piece, housed in a green label holder, is satiny with original reddish-gold coloration and strong detail. A couple of tiny ticks on Liberty's chin are all that are worthy of mention.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267C, PCGS# 8736

1897 Ten Dollar Liberty, MS65





3351 1897 MS65 PCGS. The 1897 eagle is a generic issue in grades through MS64. Gems are scarce with the current PCGS population standing at 15 pieces in MS65, one in MS65+, and four in MS66 (12/19).

For the collector seeking a high-grade example for type purposes, a date such as this 1897 seems significantly more interesting than the ubiquitous 1901-S. This piece is sharp and beautifully luminous, showcasing rich orange-gold and lilac hues across each side without the distraction of contact marks.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 26CH, PCGS# $8737\,$

1897-O Ten, MS62 Elusive With CAC Endorsement





3352 1897-O MS62 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. In MS62, the 1897-O is a common issue, but since examples in this grade are around one-third the price of an MS63 makes this grade level interesting for many collectors. The present example is satiny and uncommonly clean for the grade. The strike is typical on the lower obverse stars. Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2006), lot 2025, where it sold for \$2,530.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7LHC, PCGS# 8738

1897-S Eagle, MS62





3353 1897-S MS62 PCGS. In this grade, the 1897-S basically sells at a generic price level, but it is a slightly scarcer issue and one that is difficult to locate above MS63. This piece is especially attractive for the grade, showing rich orange-gold and tangerine color amid boldly struck devices. Light, scattered contact marks are typical of the grade.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267F, PCGS# 8739

1898 Ten Dollar, MS65 Lustrous, Colorful Surfaces





3354 1898 MS65 PCGS. The 1898 is common in grades through MS64. It is a scarcer issue in MS65 with just nine pieces so graded by PCGS (12/19) with three finer (one in MS65+ and two in MS66). This sharply struck representative displays luminous orange-gold patina over frosty underlying mint luster. A few faint grazes in the fields preclude an even finer grade, while the overall visual appeal is excellent.

Ex: Chicago Signature (Heritage, 4/2014), lot 6672, where it sold for \$7,638.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267G, PCGS# 8740

1898-S Ten Dollar, MS62 A Jacobson Favorite





3355 1898-S MS62 PCGS. Even though this is one of the least valuable coins in the collection, it has great sentimental value to Harvey Jacobson. It was the first Liberty Head eagle he acquired. Purchased in 1975, this coin pre-dated Harvey's serious collecting of eagles by close to 30 years. The design elements are sharply detailed throughout and the pleasing orange-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267H, PCGS# 8741

1899 Liberty Eagle, MS64 Excellent Type Coin





3356 1899 MS64 PCGS. The 1899 is the most common 19th century issue of this type and it is easily located in grades through MS65+. This example is housed in an old green label holder and is choice for the assigned grade, with sharply detailed design elements throughout. The pleasing peach-gold surfaces are well-preserved, with vibrant mint luster on both sides.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267], PCGS# 8742

1899-O Ten Dollar, MS63 Scarcer Late-Series Issue





3357 1899-O MS63 PCGS. CAC. Variety 4. The 1899-O is the scarcest eagle from New Orleans made after 1882. It was formerly rare in MS63 but discoveries in overseas banks have made this date more available in this grade. It remains rare in MS64 and MS65. The finest known is the amazing PCGS MS68+ Eliasberg coin that is now in the Simpson Collection. Many advanced students of this series consider it to be the single finest Liberty Head eagle in existence.

This coin has all the "bells and whistles" one could hope for as it is housed in an old green label holder and approved by CAC. The design elements are sharply detailed and the lustrous orange-gold surfaces show only minor signs of contact.

There were four prices realized for this issue in PCGS/CAC MS63 in the last two years with prices ranging from a low of \$8,225 (1/2019) to a high of \$9,600 (3/2018).

It is difficult to locate an 1899-O in grades higher than this, and if one were available it would likely bring more than double the price of a nice MS63.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267K, PCGS# 8743

1899-S Eagle, MS64 Green Label PCGS Holder





3358 1899-S MS64 PCGS. The 1899-S is basically a generic date in grades through MS63 but it is (currently) scarce in MS64 and rare in Gem. The finest known is the extraordinary PCGS MS68+ Eliasberg coin that sold for \$195,500 in the 2010 FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2010), lot 2218, (then graded as an NGC MS69).

This date has dropped precipitously in price in the last five years as the number graded in MS64 has risen due to overseas discoveries. When Harvey Jacobson bought this coin in 2013 it had a PCGS population of 12 pieces in MS64 with four finer. Today there are 16 graded MS64 with seven finer (12/19). One might not think that this fairly minor increase in population would have such an impact on this date's price, but this rise in availability has caused the price to drop considerably.

The coin displays deep lemon-gold color and vibrant luster, supported by sharply struck devices. Neither side has bothersome abrasions. Housed in a green label holder.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2013), lot 7387, where it realized \$6.169.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267L, PCGS# 8744

1900 Liberty Ten, MS65 Condition Rarity in Finer Grades





3359 1900 MS65 PCGS. The 1900 eagle is common in grades through MS65. This delightful Gem exhibits razor-sharp definition on all design elements and the well-preserved peach-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster throughout. Overall eye appeal is terrific. This coin will be a welcome addition to a fine collection of Liberty eagles. Population: 34 in 65 (3 in 65+), 4 finer (1/20).

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 2043, where it brought \$6,900.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7LD2, PCGS# 8745

1900-S Ten Dollar Liberty, MS62 Lustrous and Appealing





3360 1900-S MS62 PCGS. The 1900-S is moderately scarce in grades through MS63 but it is currently rare in MS64 and finer. The finest known is a PCGS MS67 that last sold for \$47,725 in the New York Signature (Heritage, 7/2004), lot 8388. This attractive MS62 example offers sharply detailed design elements and lightly marked apricot-gold surfaces, with vibrant mint luster and outstanding eye appeal. Population: 40 in 62, 28 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 42AN, PCGS# 8746

1901 Liberty Eagle, MS64 Well-Preserved, Lustrous Surfaces





3361 1901 MS64 PCGS. This is a common date that is easily located in grades as high as MS66. This attractive type coin is sharply struck, but its formidable eye appeal derives from its unblemished fields and devices. Sweeping luster illuminates the light copper-gold and lime patina. Like its San Francisco counterpart from 1901, the 1901 Philadelphia eagle will always be common in Mint State, but superior quality pieces remain scarce relative to demand.

Ex: Denver Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 2044.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7LHF, PCGS# 8747

1901-O Ten Dollar, MS64 Rare Any Finer





3362 1901-O MS64 PCGS. Variety 2. Significant numbers of 1901-O tens have been repatriated to the American coin market over the last few decades, and this date — formerly rare in MS64 — is now more available. It is still rare in Gem condition with just a single coin graded finer than MS64+ at PCGS.

As a result of its new-found availability, prices for nice PCGS MS64 examples, such as this piece, have dropped dramatically and now a savvy collector should be able to find a nice coin such as this for less than \$5,000. This sharply detailed Choice example shows a die line through the Y in LIBERTY. The pleasing peachgold surfaces are lightly marked and lustrous, with outstanding eye appeal. Population: 23 in 64 (3 in 64+), 1 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267R, PCGS# 8748

1901-S Eagle, MS65 Attractive Type Coin





3363 1901-S MS65 PCGS. CAC. When a collector says "Gem Liberty Head eagle" what is generally referred to is a 1901-S. This is by far the most common date of this type and there are likely thousands extant in MS65 and higher-grade range. Splashes of orange coloration compete for territory with green-gold iridescence on the Jacobson coin. Strong mint luster sweeps throughout each side. Ex: Denver Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 2049, where it sold for \$4.312.50.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267S, PCGS# 8749

1902 Ten Dollar, MS63 Collectible Late-Date Issue





3364 1902 MS63 PCGS. The 1902 eagle is common in grades through MS63. Gems remain rare with only four pieces currently graded MS65 by PCGS and only one coin — an MS66+ — finer (12/19). This piece is collectible for most enthusiasts. Strike sharpness is outstanding, and yellow-gold surfaces exude pleasing luster. A few light scuffs limit the numeric grade.

Ex: National Money Show Signature (Heritage, 3/2010), lot 2508, where it brought \$1,552.50.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267T, PCGS# 8750

1902-S Eagle, MS65 Rarely Offered in Finer Condition





3365 1902-S MS65 PCGS. The 1902-S is a common date in grades through MS65. There is a spectacular PCGS MS68+ known from the Eliasberg Collection that was obtained directly from the mint by the foresighted John Clapp, Sr. This accessible Gem example displays bold rendering of the devices and smooth, frosty peachgold and orange mint luster.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267U, PCGS# 8751

1903 Ten Dollar Liberty, MS65 Popular Type Coin Issue





3366 1903 MS65 PCGS. The 1903 is common in grades through MS64, but it is surprisingly scarce in MS65 with a current PCGS population of only seven Gems and three pieces certified finer (two in MS65+ and one in MS66).

Since the beginning of 2010, just one PCGS-graded MS65 1903 eagle has sold at auction and it brought \$4,800 in the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2019). The most recent auction price realized for a PCGS MS65+ was in Regency Auction 32 (Legend, 5/2019), lot 547, at \$6,463.

This Gem displays vibrant, satiny yellow-gold luster that illuminates sharp design elements. Neither side has distracting abrasions.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267V, PCGS# 8752

1903-O Ten Dollar, MS64 Attractive Natural Color





3367 1903-O MS64 PCGS. Variety 2. When Harvey Jacobson purchased this coin (see below for its provenance), the PCGS population was just six pieces certified MS64 and just one coin was finer. Fast forward nearly 14 years and the population of 1903-O eagles has soared to 24 coins in MS64 with still just a single coin graded finer (12/19). With the quadrupling in the number of MS64s, the price has dropped for these coins and a nice borderline Gem 1903-O eagle has become affordable. This piece is highly appealing for the grade, with vibrant, satiny luster that yields rich orange-gold color. Strike sharpness is outstanding.

Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2006), lot 4076, where it realized \$8,050.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267W, PCGS# 8753

1903-S Ten Dollar, MS66 Old Green Label Holder





3368 1903-S MS66 PCGS. The 1903-S is regarded as a generic issue in the Liberty Head eagle series although it is considerably more difficult to locate in MS64 and higher grades than the 1901-S. This example is housed in an old green label holder and is choice for the grade. This boldly struck Premium Gem exhibits swirling cartwheel mint luster and rich yellow-gold coloration with a pedigree-identifying copper alloy spot just right of star 8.

Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 12/2017), lot 3277; Vanderbilt Collection / Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 3/2018), lot 10386.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267X, PCGS# 8754

1904 Eagle, CAC Approved MS64 Underrated Post-1900 Issue





3369 1904 MS64 PCGS. CAC. The 1904 is common in grades through MS63, but it is slightly scarce in MS64, and it remains rare in MS65 and higher. PCGS has graded two pieces MS65, and one each in MS65+, MS66, and MS67. CAC has approved 14 coins in MS64 with just two finer, both in MS65.

A nice PCGS-certified MS65 example of this date will probably cost around \$10,000. In our opinion, a PCGS/CAC MS64 coin that sells for around a quarter of the MS65 price represents much better value. This piece is bright, with reddish colored soft mint frost. The strike details are strong in all areas, and there are no abrasions worthy of comment.

Ex: Regency Auction XXIII (Legend, 10/2017), lot: 502, where it brought \$2,820.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267Y, PCGS# 8755

1904-O Ten Dollar, MS63





3370 1904-O MS63 PCGS. Variety 1. The 1904-O is the second most available New Orleans With Motto eagle after the 1903-O. It is easily located in MS63, and MS64s are scarce but more available than a decade ago due to discoveries in overseas banks. This piece displays lustrous orange-gold surfaces with sharply struck devices. Preservation is pleasing for the grade.

Ex: FUN Auction (Bowers and Merena, 1/2010), lot 812, where it sold for \$3,220.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7LHK, PCGS# 8756

1905 Eagle, MS65 Exceptional Surfaces and Luster





3371 1905 MS65 PCGS. CAC. The 1905 eagle is common in grades through MS64. It is slightly scarce in MS65 and rare finer. The single highest graded is a PCGS-certified MS67+. For the grade, this piece is exceptional, showing fully struck, lustrous surfaces with lemon-gold, eye-appealing coloration. Neither side displays bothersome abrasions.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2012), lot 6581.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7LD3, PCGS# 8757

1905-S Ten, MS63 Balance of Luster and Reflectivity





3372 1905-S MS63 PCGS. In MS63, the 1905-S remains a scarce issue, although there is always a possibility that a number of these will be located in overseas banks. MS64 examples are rare with just three pieces currently graded by PCGS (12/19). There is a single MS65 at PCGS, and the finest known 1905-S ten dollar by a large margin is the NGC-certified MS68 from the Clapp-Eliasberg Collection.

Since the end of 2009, only four PCGS-graded MS63 1905-S eagles have been sold at auction. The most recent auction price realized is from the ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4336, where it sold for \$2,040. This coin is remarkably sharp and bright with satiny yellow-gold mint luster. Neither side exhibits bothersome abrasions, and the surfaces appear exceptional for the grade to the naked eye.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2683, PCGS# 8758

1906 Ten Dollar, MS64 Late-Series Type Coin





3373 1906 MS64 PCGS. This issue is a bit harder to locate in MS64 than a so-called generic issue but it certainly is not rare. However, it is difficult to locate (at this point) in Gem condition as PCGS has only graded nine pieces in MS65, and two each in MS66 and MS67.

There were four PCGS MS64 examples of this date sold at auction in 2018, but none in 2019. A PCGS-certified MS65 has not crossed the block since Heritage sold a coin for \$6,463 in their 2016 FUN Signature. This example displays remarkably smooth, satiny mint luster, yielding orange-gold and peach-yellow hues with sharp design elements.

Ex: Stack's Bowers (6/2006), lot 1489, where it brought \$3,162.50. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7JHG, PCGS# 8759

1906-D Eagle, MS64 First Denver Mint Issue





3374 1906-D MS64 PCGS. The 1906-D is a numismatically significant issue as it is the first Liberty Head eagle struck at the newly-opened Denver Mint. It is common in grades through MS64, and it is a popular issue because of its status. This sharply detailed Choice specimen exhibits well-preserved peach-gold surfaces that radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides. Eye appeal is terrific. Ex: Stack's Bowers (6/2006), lot 1490, where it sold for \$3,450. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7JHG, PCGS# 8760



Denver Mint, circa 1906

1906-O Ten Dollar, MS65+ A Condition Census Example Ex: Simpson/Hall Collection





3375 1906-O MS65+ PCGS. CAC. Ex: Simpson-Hall. The 1906-O is the final eagle produced at the New Orleans mint. It has become more available in lower Uncirculated grades due to significant numbers of coins located in the MS60 to MS62 range. This date remains rare and in demand in Gem condition but only two pieces have been graded MS65 by PCGS, along with two each in MS65+ and MS66. The currently untraced Eliasberg coin is said to grade MS66 to MS67.

The Jacobson coin is tied with the example that sold for \$26,400 as lot 3298 in the Heritage 3/2019 auction as the third finest graded by PCGS after a pair of MS66s (both of which have been off the market for decades).

This coin represents amazing quality for the date and grade, and it would make a wonderful type coin for the collector who seeks a single high-grade example of a With Motto eagle from New Orleans. Luster is beautifully preserved and radiant, yielding bright yellow-gold color and sharp devices.

Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53FB, PCGS# 8761

1906-S Ten Dollar, MS64 Conditionally Scarce





3376 1906-S MS64 PCGS. The 1906-S is scarce in MS64 as seen by the current PCGS population of six coins in this grade and only six finer (12/19). The single finest known is a PCGS MS67 that last sold in February 2005 for \$28,750.

No PCGS-certified MS64 1906-S eagle has sold at auction since the Stack's Bowers' Rarities Auction (5/2016), lot 110, brought \$8,813. The most recent PCGS MS65 to sell at auction brought \$16,800 in Heritage's Dallas Signature (10/2019), lot 3291. A visually appealing example, with the reverse in particular displaying vibrant cartwheel luster, this near-Gem exhibits a sharp strike. The flashy apricot-gold color further adds to the attractiveness.

Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2013), lot 5936.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53FB, PCGS# 8762

1907 Eagle, MS65 CAC Approved





3377 1907 MS65 PCGS. CAC. The 1907 is the final eagle of this type struck at the Philadelphia mint. It is common in grades through MS64 and only moderately scarce in MS65. In grades higher than this, however, the 1907 Liberty Head eagle is rare with only two pieces graded MS65+ by PCGS, and a single coin better, graded MS66. This delightful Gem is sharply detailed throughout, with virtually flawless apricot-gold surfaces that radiate vibrant mint luster and outstanding eye appeal.

Ex: Regency Auction XXII (Legend, 7/2017), lot 495, where it realized \$4,700.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2688, PCGS# 8763

1907-D Liberty Eagle, MS64 Denver Type Coin





3378 1907-D MS64 PCGS. The 1907-D is the second of just two dates of Liberty Head eagles made at the Denver mint. It is a scarcer issue than its counterpart, the 1906-D, and it is seldom seen above MS64+. In fact, PCGS has graded just three pieces in MS65 with none finer (12/19). This collectible Choice example displays sharp definition throughout each side, complementing softly frosted yellow-gold luster that is devoid of bothersome abrasions.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 268A, PCGS# 8764

1907-S Ten Dollar Liberty, MS63 Final-Year San Francisco Issue





3379 1907-S MS63 PCGS. Ex: Simpson-Hall. As of early 2020, the 1907-S eagle is a scarce issue in MS63 and a rare date in MS64 and finer, but this is likely to change in the coming years. Examples will undoubtedly be located in overseas bank hoards. PCGS has graded just one coin in MS64+, two in MS66, and one in MS66+, the last recently brought a stunning \$96,000 in the Rarities Night Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 10/2018), lot 2149.

The two most recent auction prices realized for this issue both occurred in 2018 — \$3,120 (8/2018) and \$2,640 (4/2018). This piece displays dazzling luster and a sharp strike, complementing rich orange-gold coloration.

Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 38EP, PCGS# 8765

End of the Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles

ADDITIONAL LIBERTY EAGLES

1854-O Large Date Eagle, AU58+ Date Punch Intended for Silver Dollars





3380 1854-O Large Date AU58+ PCGS. Variety 2. Light repunching occurs on the base of the 1, and the O mintmark is low relative to the fletching. Die cracks run from the rim between stars 10 and 11 to the portrait, and from the rim through the right base of the A in AMERICA to the wing. This typically struck, virtually unworn New Orleans eagle showcases semireflective yellow-gold surfaces with bright luster around the devices. The 1854-O Large Date is the more collectible than the Small Date type, but Doug Winter estimates only seven to 10 examples exist in higher grades than this AU58+ representative. NGC ID# 263J, PCGS# 98614

1855-O Eagle, AU55+ Low Mintage No Motto Issue





3381 1855-O AU55+ NGC. Variety 2. A better New Orleans issue, the 1855-O has a low emission of 18,000 pieces. Sharp examples with ample remaining luster are desirable. This sun-gold representative has a few lightly impressed stars, but marks are minor overall, and the sole reportable contact is a tick on the reverse rim near 3 o'clock. As of (1/20), NGC has certified only the present coin as AU55+, along with 14 pieces as AU58. NGC has not graded any examples as Mint State. NGC ID# 263M, PCGS# 8617

1887-S Ten Dollar, MS64+ Tied for Finest at PCGS and CAC





3382 1887-S MS64+ PCGS. CAC. This is a major condition rarity for advanced series specialists. Although the San Francisco Mint produced 817,000 ten dollar gold coins in 1887, Choice Uncirculated representatives are rare. A single Gem is known, certified by NGC, and that coin brought \$25,850 in Stack's Bowers' February 2015 Americana sale. This is one of six MS64 submissions at PCGS and it is the only one with a Plus designation. It is also tied with only two other pieces at this grade level CAC (1/20). Consequently, we expect strong bidding from serious Registry builders for this fantastic rose-gold near-Gem. Fully struck and beautifully frosted with intermittent green-gold accents over marvelously preserved surfaces. NGC ID# 5552, PCGS# 8711

1890-CC Liberty Eagle, MS62 Excellent Carson City Type Coin





3383 1890-CC MS62 PCGS. Variety 1-A. From a mintage of 17,500 pieces, the 1890-CC Liberty eagle is an available date in the context of the series, and a popular choice with branch mint type collectors. This attractive MS62 example shows just a touch of the usual softness on the curls at Liberty's ear, but the reverse is sharply detailed. The lustrous green and rose-gold surfaces show the expected number of minor contact marks for the grade. Population: 63 in 62 (4 in 62+), 10 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 266S, PCGS# 8718

1900 Eagle, Top-Graded MS66 Prime Registry Candidate





3384 1900 MS66 NGC. The 1900 eagle fails to stand out as anything other than a generic date in most grades, but only nine coins are certified in MS66 and none are better at both services combined. This fully struck peach-gold Premium Gem enjoys thick cartwheel mint frost and smooth fields. Microscopic ticks are inconsequential. Census: 5 in 66, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 7LD2, PCGS# 8745

1901-O Liberty Ten, MS64+ Only One Finer Coin at PCGS





3385 1901-O MS64+ PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. This near-Gem Liberty eagle is well-struck save for the right (facing) claw. The sun-gold surfaces display only wispy marks, and the portrait is well-preserved. The 1901-O is among the more available New Orleans issues, but is nonetheless rare at the MS64+ level and virtually unobtainable any finer. Population: 3 in 64+, 1 finer. CAC: 7 in 64, 0 finer (1/20). Ex: New York Signature (Heritage, 3/2012), lot 4138. NGC ID# 267R, PCGS# 8748

1907-D Liberty Eagle, MS65 Tied for Finest at PCGS





3386 1907-D MS65 PCGS. A substantial mintage of more than 1 million Liberty eagles was accomplished at the Denver Mint in 1907, the final year of the Liberty design. Despite the large production total, the 1907-D is a scarce issue at the MS64 grade level, and Gems are prime condition rarities. This delightful Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout, with fine definition on Liberty's curls and the eagle's feathers. The well-preserved apricot-gold surfaces are lustrous and appealing. A diagonal mark on the reverse, below the banner, is the only useful pedigree marker. Overall eye appeal is terrific. This coin should find a home in the finest collection or Registry Set. Population: 3 in 65, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 268A, PCGS# 8764

PROOF LIBERTY EAGLE

1907 Liberty Eagle, PR64 74 Examples Struck





3387 1907 Liberty PR64 NGC. JD-1, R.5. Ex: Sweet Collection. Only 74 proof Liberty eagle were struck in 1907, with the coins delivered in quarterly batches of 30, 15, 4, and 25 pieces. A single pair of dies was used to strike the proofs. The reverse die features many vertical stripes in the shield that extend into the horizontal stripes above. The scroll is heavily polished, creating some odd artifacts by TR in TRUST. John Dannreuther estimates 45-55 examples are extant in all grades.

This attractive Choice proof exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout and the well-preserved lemon-yellow surfaces include deeply mirrored fields, but only modest field/device contrast is evident. Overall eye appeal is terrific. Census: 17 in 64, 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 28GE, PCGS# 8847

INDIAN EAGLES

1907 No Motto Eagle, MS66 Appears Nearly Immaculate





3388 1907 No Motto MS66 PCGS. The first-year No Motto Indian Head eagle is always popular with collectors, and sufficient quantities exist in high grades to satisfy most of them looking for one in MS64 or MS65. Examples become scarce at this impressive level and rare any finer, with 12 higher-graded submissions at PCGS (1/20). This Premium Gem appears immaculate. Radiant orange-gold surfaces glisten with soft mint frost. Each side is well-struck, and minor softness is largely confined to the middle curls. NGC ID# 28GF, PCGS# 8852

1907 No Motto Ten Dollar, MS66 Glimmering Luster, Nearly Unabraded





3389 1907 No Motto MS66 PCGS. The Philadelphia Mint struck off 239,400 Saint-Gaudens Indian Head eagles after the No Periods design had been finalized. Just a few months later in mid-1908 the motto IN GOD WE TRUST would be placed in the left reverse field. This short-lived type remains collectible in high grades but becomes scarce-to-rare in MS67. Medium yellow-gold color dominates each side. Glimmering surfaces maintain practically unabraded fields and crisp devices with few areas of softness. PCGS reports 12 numerically finer grading events (1/20). NGC ID# 28GF, PCGS# 8852

1908-D Motto Eagle, MS65 Important Condition Rarity





3390 1908-D Motto MS65 NGC. Despite a substantial mintage of 836,500 coins, NGC and PCGS have certified a mere 35 submissions in MS65 and finer grades (1/20). There are only 12 Indian eagle issues that have a lower NGC and PCGS combined population in MS65 and finer grades. There are a few important rarities in the series that have higher total Gem populations, including the 1907 Rolled Edge, the 1909-S, and quite notably, the 1930-S. This boldly defined Gem has virtually flawless surfaces with fully brilliant and frosty mint luster. The light yellow-gold surfaces display faint orange overtones on the reverse. A stunning Gem for the connoisseur. Census: 4 in 65, 8 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 28GK, PCGS# 8860

1908-S Indian Eagle, MS64+ Low-Mintage Issue





3391 1908-S MS64+ NGC. Only six issues in the Indian eagle series had mintages smaller than the 59,850 pieces struck at San Francisco in 1908, and two of the six issues are the 1907 Periods rarities. This boldly struck piece approaches the Gem grade category and has exceptional eye appeal. The few scattered marks noted on each side are inconsequential. Although Jeff Garrett and Ron Guth state that this issue is available in Gem or finer grades, the finest example in the Smithsonian Institution is described as AU, Cleaned. Many of the finest Smithsonian Indian eagles are cleaned, polished, or otherwise circulated. Census: 19 in 64 (1 in 64+), 21 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 28GL, PCGS# 8861

1910-D Eagle, MS66 Glowing Sun-Gold Type Coin





3392 1910-D MS66 PCGS. This Denver issue serves as the most available branch mint eagle in the series and one of the most plentiful overall in the highest levels of Mint State. Nearly pristine surfaces showcase strong detail on the lower headdress feathers, middle curls, and on the eagle's shoulder. Glowing sun-gold color enriches virtually unabraded fields. The only obvious mark is a tick southeast of (TRUS)T. Population: 48 in 66 (11 in 66+), 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 28GS, PCGS# 8866

LIBERTY DOUBLE EAGLES

1850-O Double Eagle, AU58 New Orleans Type Issue



3393 1850-O AU58 NGC. Variety 1. Thin obverse dentils confirm the die marriage, one of three known for the first-year New Orleans double eagle issue. The 1850-O is often selected by Southern type set collectors to fulfill the twenty dollar denomination, since examples in XF make regular appearances at auction. But at the near-Mint level, the 1850-O becomes a significant conditional rarity. This butter-gold representative displays extensive luster. Obverse star 13 is partially lapped, as made, but the definition is otherwise sharp. Mentionable marks are limited to a moderate rim knock on the reverse at 7:30. Census: 19 in 58, 7 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 268G, PCGS# 8903

1851-O Twenty, Reflective AU58





3394 1851-O AU58 NGC. Variety 1. Small die chips appear before Liberty's eye on the obverse, and on the usually seen reverse, the O mintmark is slightly left of center of the N in UNITED. The second year of Liberty Head double eagle coinage at the New Orleans mint saw an ample production of 315,000 coins, but most of the issue clearly circulated from the Mississippi Delta outward. This piece shows much prooflike surface remaining under a slight overlay of field chatter. Singular marks are few, however, largely a couple of abrasions in the areas of stars 12 and 13. This is a coin with great eye appeal and considerable cachet as an early O-mint twenty. Census: 80 in 58 (2 in 58+), 20 finer (1/20).

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2015), lot 4445. NGC ID# 268J, PCGS# 8905

1852-O Double Eagle, AU58 Variety 1





3395 1852-O AU58 NGC. Variety 1. A mintage of 190,000 coins suggests that several die pairs were used but only one die variety is currently identified. Others are likely waiting discovery as Mint records indicate that six obverse dies and four reverse dies were shipped from Philadelphia to New Orleans for 1852 double eagle coinage. Date positions, mintmark positions, and die cracks can be logged to identify different dies and die pairs.

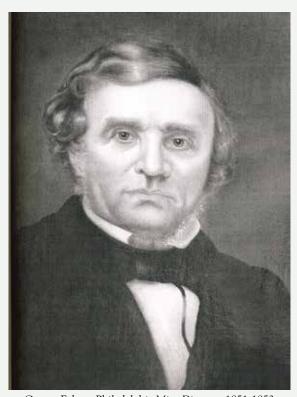
On this example, the 1 in the date is approximately centered between the bust and border, and the J in JBL on the bust truncation is over the space between the 8 and 5, favoring the 5. The O mintmark is slightly left of center over the N in TWENTY, and it is high, nearly touching the eagle's tailfeathers. Slight highpoint wear diminishes the details of this piece that had an average strike. Both sides have muted mint frost with distinct greenish color over the lustrous yellow surfaces. Census: 82 in 58 (2 in 58+), 20 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 268L, PCGS# 8907

1853-O Double Eagle, AU53 Well Preserved





3396 1853-O AU53 NGC. Variety 1. A beautiful New Orleans double eagle, showing barely any wear and having remarkably smooth, unabraded surfaces. Rich straw-gold coloration adorns each side, complementing a tinge of satin luster in the fields. The 1853-O is typically one of the more accessible New Orleans double eagles, although this representative is uniquely high-end for the grade and issue. NGC ID# 268N, PCGS# 8910



George Eckert, Philadelphia Mint Director, 1851-1853

1854 Liberty Double Eagle, AU58 Scarce Large Date Variant



3397 1854 Large Date AU58 NGC. Much scarcer than its Small Date counterpart, the Large Date 1854 double eagle continues to gain popularity among collectors as one of the premier Type One varieties in the series. It is a considerable condition rarity as well as an absolutely scarce variety, represented by only a small fraction of the total 1854 mintage of 757,899 pieces. Perhaps as few as one in eight 1854 double eagles display the Large Date logotype. This is a still-lustrous near-mint example. Light bagmarks and abrasions account for the assigned grade, with minor high-point weakness at Liberty's exposed curls and bun. Fully Uncirculated Large Date twenties are rare, making this AU58 coin a viable candidate for any double eagle enthusiast. Census: 23 in 58 (1 in 58+), 9 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 268S, PCGS# 98911

1855 Twenty Dollar, MS61 Among 15 to 20 Uncirculated Survivors



3398 1855 MS61 NGC. The year 1855 saw heavy double eagle production on both coasts, with 364,666 pieces struck at Philadelphia and nearly 880,000 coins minted at San Francisco. The Philadelphia coins are much scarcer than their S-mint counterparts across all grade levels, and Mint State representatives are major condition rarities. Perhaps 15 to 20 Uncirculated 1855 twenties survive.

This example features medium yellow-gold color and vibrant peripheral luster that illuminates essentially fully struck devices — a rare find among most No Motto double eagles. Faint abrasions are generally shallow and undistracting. Census: 8 in 61, 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 268V, PCGS# 8914

1855-O Double Eagle, AU53 Better New Orleans Issue



3399 1855-O AU53 PCGS. All New Orleans double eagles are better dates, but the 1855-O is significantly rarer than the earlier O-mint issues that constitute most auction appearances. The 1855-O has a mintage of only 8,000 pieces, and PCGS has certified just 54 pieces in all grades, less than one-tenth the PCGS Population for the 1851-O. The present wheat-gold example shows light wear on the curls and wingtips, but luster surrounds design elements, and abrasions are no more than anticipated for the AU53 level. An important offering for the Southern gold specialist. Population: 10 in 53, 7 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 268W, PCGS# 8915

1857-O Twenty Dollar, AU58+ Popular New Orleans Issue



3400 1857-O AU58+ NGC. Liberty double eagles were struck at five different facilities, and those who seek one example from each mint soon learn that New Orleans is the stopper. Although O-mint double eagles were coined each year between 1850 and 1861, and again in 1879, most survivors are dated between 1850 and 1853. The 1857-O has a mintage of only 30,000 pieces, and near-Mint examples are far fewer than Southern gold collectors. This buttergold piece is well struck and shows ample luster within the margins and motifs. Marks are unimportant for the grade, with a small hit on the right reverse field mentioned strictly as an identifier. As of (1/20), NGC has certified a mere two pieces as AU58+ and only seven coins finer. NGC ID# 2694, PCGS# 8921

1857 Double Eagle, MS65 Ex: S.S. Central America



3401 1857-S MS65 PCGS. Variety 20-C. Ex: S.S. Central America. SSCA 0484. It is difficult to think of another issue whose fame and availability has changed so dramatically over the last 30 years. The 1857-S No Motto double eagle now serves as the most collectible Type One twenty in high grades thanks to the discovery of thousands of examples as part of the S.S. Central America recoveries during the 1980s, 1990s, and again in 2014. This is a typically frosty and attractive Gem with full strike definition, smooth fields, and warm orange-gold color. A single identifying reeding mark occurs on the cheek. Housed in its original gold foil PCGS holder. NGC ID# 2696, PCGS# 8922

1857-S Liberty Double Eagle, MS65+ Exceptional Type Coin



3402 1857-S MS65+ PCGS. CAC. The 1857-S Liberty double eagle was produced in large numbers, but the issue circulated heavily in the hard-money economy of the American West and few examples were saved for numismatic purposes. Accordingly, the 1857-S could be found in circulated grades with little difficulty, but the issue was rare in high grade before the modern era. In recent times, the 1857-S has been well-represented in shipwreck finds, and the recovery of the S.S. Central America yielded more than 5,000 high quality examples of the issue. In today's market, the 1857-S is the favorite choice of type collectors seeking a nice example of the Type One double eagle.

This delightful Gem exhibits razor-sharp definition on all design elements and the rich yellow-gold surfaces are virtually flawless. Vibrant mint luster radiates from both sides of this remarkable specimen, adding to the terrific eye appeal. Population: 49 in 65 (8 in 65+), 9 finer. CAC: 18 in 65, 10 finer (1/20).

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 2696, PCGS# 8922

1857-S Double Eagle, MS67 Variety 20A, Spiked Shield With the Box and Certificate



3403 1857-S Spiked Shield, Variety 20A, MS67 PCGS. CAC. One of the most important numismatic events of the last quarter-century was discovery of the S.S. Central America treasure that was lost when that ship sunk in a hurricane in September 1857. The loss of so much gold was one of the contributory factors in the financial panic that year. Nearly 600 passengers, cargo, and a massive quantity of gold in the form of coins and ingots, came aboard the S.S. Central America in Panama on September 3, ready for the journey to New York City. Estimates suggest that the gold on board amounted to 100,000 ounces (more than three tons of gold). The ship docked at Havana on September 7, and was on its way again the next morning. The pleasant weather changed, and continued to worsen until Captain Herndon and his crew were sailing the vessel in a hurricane. Finally, the order came to abandon ship on September 12. Personal fortunes were left behind as 109 passengers were saved when the brig Marine came to aid those passengers, mainly women and children.

The Columbus-America Discovery Group was formed in Ohio in the early 1980s and finally located the wreck of the S.S. Central America in 1986. In time, more than 400 gold bars and over 5,400 1857-S double eagles were recovered from more than 7,000 below the ocean surface. Many other coins were found as well. Today, PCGS records a certified population of 7,355 1857-S double eagles but only 16 of those have achieved the MS67 grade, and none are finer (12/19).

The 1857-S double eagles were marketed in special presentation binders and custom boxes, including a certificate of authenticity. All of that material is included with the present lot that features a CAC-approved Superb Gem, displaying frosty yellow luster and incredible eye appeal. The surfaces are pristine, with splashes of orange patina. An amazing representative, one of the finest imaginable 1857-S double eagles.

From The Kodiak Collection. NGC ID# 2696, PCGS# 70000 Base PCGS# 8922

1858 Double Eagle, MS62+ Underrated P-Mint Issue, Few Finer





3404 1858 MS62+ PCGS. Highlights of lilac and orange add colorful accents to the smooth, honey-gold surfaces of this conditionally rare Mint State double eagle. Sharply struck with a fine coat of mint frost on the devices, the central motifs stand out from semireflective fields. Based solely on eye appeal, it would not be surprising to find that this radiant and lustrous example ranks among the top dozen or so finest representatives of the issue.

We seldom see an 1858 any finer — on four occasions, to be exact, when we sold MS63 coins — the most recent of which was in 2005. A few light abrasions keep this example from the Select grade, with scattered small marks plus a tiny imperfection on the neck truncation, visible with a lens. The 1858 is marginally available in circulated grades, but elusive when Uncirculated and a rarity even at the MS62 level. NGC reports just one numerically finer coin. Population: 5 in 62 (1 in 62+), 5 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2697, PCGS# 8923

1858-O Twenty Dollar, AU58 Prooflike Fields, Conditionally Rare





3405 1858-O AU58 PCGS. Variety 2, the rarer die pairing that shows the date centered with the lower loop of a misplaced numeral protruding from the bust truncation above the second 8. The mintmark is centered above the N in TWENTY. This sharply struck near-Mint coin displays glimmering reflectivity in the fields where not hindered by light wear and scattered abrasions, although evidence of die lapping at the designer's initials suggests that this is not necessarily an early die state. Moderate field chatter is a contributor to the grade in the absence of obvious high-point wear.

The 1858-O double eagle comes from a mintage 35,250 coins and is scarce in all grades. Only a dozen Mint State grading events are reported, possibly including resubmissions. Since 1993, we have handled only four Uncirculated examples. Near-Mint coins are typically the finest available for this issue, and auction prices reflect the strong collector demand. The present coin is about as fine as an AU double eagle can get without warranting a Mint State grade. Population: 17 in 58 (2 in 58+), 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2698, PCGS# 8924

1859-O Double Eagle, AU50 Rare in All Grades



3406 1859-O AU50 NGC. Variety 2. The 1859-O is a rare New Orleans double eagle with a small 9,100-coin mintage. Fewer than 100 pieces are known in all grades, primarily distributed throughout the various XF and AU levels. Only two Mint State pieces are documented, both heavily bagmarked. The 1859-O shares its rarity with most other O-Mint twenties leading up to the outbreak of the Civil War. After the San Francisco Mint became operational in 1854, gold deposits in New Orleans declined significantly, and large denomination gold coinage plummeted. Between 1854 and the 1909, when the New Orleans Mint ceased coin production for the final time, fewer than 115,000 double eagles were struck at that facility. Few gold coin sets are as difficult to assemble as the O-mint double eagles.

This AU 1859-O twenty displays satiny green-gold surfaces with relatively minimal chatter and abrasions. The strike is bold, and only trivial friction is seen over the devices. An outstanding example of this Type One branch mint rarity.

Ex: Summer FUN Signature (Heritage, 7/2016), lot 4037. NGC ID# 269B, PCGS# 8927

1860-O Liberty Double Eagle, AU53 Low-Mintage Southern Gold Issue



3407 1860-O AU53 NGC. Variety 2. Gold bullion deposits were always small at the New Orleans Mint after the San Francisco Mint opened in 1854. As a result, mintages of double eagles were modest in later years and only 6,600 Liberty twenties were struck at the famous Southern facility in 1860. There was little numismatic interest in branch mint issues in general, and double eagles in particular, in 1860. Few 19th century collectors could afford to set aside extensive date runs of twenty-dollar coins for their collections, and the few who could preferred to update their holdings by purchasing a gold proof set from the Philadelphia Mint every year. Accordingly, few high-quality examples were saved by contemporary collectors and the issue is elusive in high grade today. Doug Winter notes, "Properly graded AU55 and AU58 1860-O double eagles are very rare and I know of only one or two with claims to Uncirculated." Unfortunately, the population data for this issue has been inflated by resubmissions and crossovers. Probably no more than 85-95 examples survive today in all grades.

The 1860-O began appearing at auction in the 1930s, after the Gold Recall of 1933 made collecting large denomination gold coins a popular way to legally invest in the precious metal. An early auction appearance was in lot 2654 of the Sloane, Lenz and Others Collections (Thomas Elder, 1/1936):

"\$20. 1860. O. Mint. Fine. Excessively rare. We don't believe we have had it before. About 6,000 coined altogether. More rare than 1855 O."

The lot realized a strong price of \$80. Recent sales include the AU53 NGC specimen in lot 5306 of the ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2018), which realized \$52,800.

The present coin is an impressive AU53 specimen that shows a typical strike for the issue, with a touch of the usual softness on the obverse stars on the left. Only light wear is apparent on the devices and the pleasing yellow and orange-gold surfaces show only minor abrasions on the devices and the usual chatter in the fields. Traces of prooflike reflectivity are visible in sheltered areas. The overall presentation is most attractive. Census: 14 in 53, 21 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 269E, PCGS# 8930

1861 Double Eagle, MS63 Excellent Type Coin





3408 1861 MS63 PCGS. CAC. The 1861 Liberty double eagle claims a huge mintage of more than 2.9 million pieces, and nearly 500 examples of this date were recovered from the wreck of the S.S. Republic. Accordingly, the 1861 is one of the most available issues of the series, and a popular choice of type collectors seeking an example of the Type One design.

While the 1861 is easy to locate in lower Uncirculated grades, it becomes scarce at the MS63 grade level, and finer coins are rare. This impressive Select example exhibits sharply detailed design elements in most areas, with just a trace of softness on the hair above the brow. Some faint peripheral die cracks are evident through the letters in the reverse legend. The vivid peach-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster and show only minor signs of contact. The overall presentation is most attractive. Population: 38 in 63 (2 in 63+), 17 finer. CAC: 11 in 63, 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 269G, PCGS# 8932

1861-O Liberty Twenty, XF Details Final O-Mint Issue Until 1879





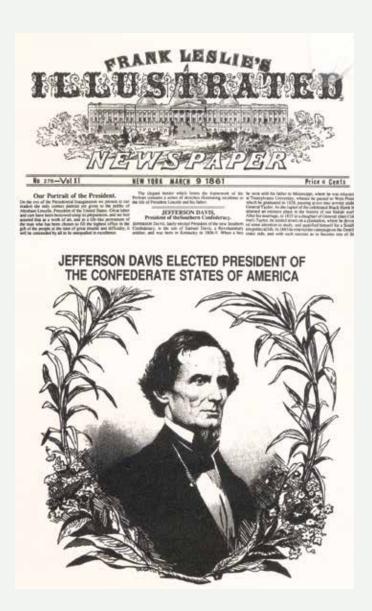
3409 1861-O — Cleaned — NGC Details. XF. Variety 1. A meager mintage of 17,741 Liberty double eagles was accomplished at the New Orleans Mint before that facility shut its doors in 1861. Doug Winter believes 5,000 of these coins were struck while the Mint was still controlled by the United States federal government, between January 1 and January 26. Another 9,750 pieces were delivered between January 26 and March 31, under the authority of the State of Louisiana. A final production of 2,991 coins was achieved under the auspices of the Confederacy before the Mint closed on April 30. Probably no more than 135-165 examples survive today in all grades.

This impressive specimen exhibits some light wear on the design elements, but much interior detail remains intact on Liberty's hair and the eagle's feathers. Despite the noted cleaning, the lightly abraded orange-gold surfaces show traces of original mint luster in sheltered areas around the devices. NGC ID# 269J, PCGS# 8934

1861-O Double Eagle, AU50+ Possibly Struck by the C.S.A.



3410 1861-O AU50+ NGC. Variety 1. On January 26, 1861, Louisiana seceded from the United States, and the New Orleans Mint became a property of the state. According to an article by Tom Hoke in the April 2013 Numismatist, "1861-O double eagles were struck by three different authorities: the federal government, the State of Louisiana, and the Confederate States of America." The January mintage by the United States was 5,000 pieces, and Hoke estimates "an additional 10,000 or so coins were produced" by Louisiana and the C.S.A., "bringing the total mintage to 15,000." The Guide Book, though, reports a mintage of 17,741 pieces, and this figure is confirmed in Walter Breen's 1988 Encyclopedia. Regardless of authority, all 1861-O twenties were struck from the same pair of dies, and it is not possible to confirm the maker of any given piece. The present example is the sole piece certified by NGC as AU50+ (1/21). The honey-gold surfaces are well defined and display myriad pockets of luster. Small marks are scattered throughout, but none require singular description. NGC ID# 269J, PCGS# 8934



1861-O Liberty Double Eagle, AU58 Historically Important Issue Rarely Seen This Fine



3411 1861-O AU58 PCGS. Variety 1. The New Orleans Mint struck a small mintage of 17,741 Liberty double eagles in the early part of 1861, on the brink of the Civil War. Noted gold specialist Doug Winter reports only 5,000 of those coins were struck before January 26, while the New Orleans Mint was still operating under federal authority. Another 9,750 examples were produced between January 26 and March 31, while the State of Louisiana was the governing authority. A final production of 2,991 specimens was achieved under the auspices of the Confederacy, before the Mint shut its doors on April 30. Although three obverse dies were sent to the New Orleans Mint, it seems all the coins were struck from the same die pair. Most of the coins show some weakness in the numerals of the date, toward the bottom. About one fifth of the surviving population features a strong date, with a die crack from the rim near star 2 to Liberty's chin. Attempts have been made to determine which coins were struck first and which were produced by the Confederacy, but there is no general agreement at this time.

Collecting double eagles was not popular in the 19th century, as the cost of assembling a collection of twenty dollar gold coins was prohibitive for most numismatists of the period. Little attention was paid to branch mint issues and the few wealthy collectors who did assemble date runs of large denomination gold coins usually preferred to order proof from the Philadelphia Mint to update their collection. As a result, few high-quality examples of the 1861-O were saved for numismatic purposes and no more than 150-175 specimens survive today in all grades. Most examples seen are in the XF40-AU50 grade range. Winter notes, "Properly graded AU55 and AU58 coins are very rare, and I haven't seen more than 3-5 with claims to an Uncirculated grade."

PCGS has certified seven coins in AU58, with two finer, while NGC has graded 12 specimens in AU58 (including one in $58 \pm$), with six finer (1/20). Those total include an unknown number of resubmissions and crossovers.

The present coin is an impressive near-Mint example that shows a typical strike for the issue, with the often-seen weakness on the numerals in the date. The design elements display just a trace of wear on the high points and the yellow and greenish-gold surfaces exhibit numerous minor abrasions and chatter in the fields. Traces of prooflike reflectivity remain in sheltered areas. The overall presentation is quite positive for this elusive, historically important issue. NGC ID# 269I, PCGS# 8934

1863 Liberty Double Eagle, MS63 Scarce Wartime Issue Condition Census Example



3412 1863 MS63 NGC. The financial stresses and uncertainties of the Civil War caused widespread hoarding of all precious-metal coinage after 1861. As a result, the Philadelphia Mint refused to exchange gold for paper money at par and limited the output of all gold denominations during the war years. Accordingly, the 1863 Liberty double eagle claims a relatively modest mintage of 142,790 pieces. Few high-quality examples were saved for numismatic purposes, as most 19th century collectors could not afford to set aside any number of twenty dollar gold coins for their hobby. The few wealthy numismatists that did collect double eagles preferred proofs to business strikes and even the Mint Cabinet Collection failed to include a circulation-strike example of this date. The 1863 is elusive in all Mint State grades today, and most high-grade examples come from the hoard of 35 specimens recovered from the wreck of the S.S. Republic.

After the Gold Recall of 1933, some astute collectors, like Louis E. Eliasberg and Dr. Charles W. Green, realized that collecting large denomination gold coins was one of the few legal methods of investing in gold in this country. Collecting double eagles became much more popular and the 1863 began appearing at auction in the 1930s and '40s. An early appearance was lot 2642 of the Sloane, Lenz and Others Collections (Thomas Elder, 1/1936), "1863. \$20. Very fine. VR. Gold at double par in those days." The lot realized a strong price of \$75. Recent sales include the MS63 PCGS example in lot 4375 of the FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2015) that brought \$85 187.50.

The present coin is an impressive Select specimen that fits nicely in the Condition Census for the issue. PCGS has certified two examples in MS63 and a single coin, the Crawford specimen, in MS64, while NGC has graded two coins, including this piece, in MS63, with none finer (1/20). This coin exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout and the lightly marked peach-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster, with terrific eye appeal. This coin will be a welcome addition to the finest collection or Registry Set. NGC ID# 269P, PCGS# 8939

1865 Liberty Twenty, MS62 Ex: S.S. Republic



3413 1865 MS62 NGC. Ex: S.S. Republic. The 1865 Liberty double eagle claims a smallish Philadelphia mintage of 351,175 pieces and few high quality examples were saved by contemporary collectors. As a result, the 1865 was rarely seen in high grade before the recovery of the S.S. Republic. Fortunately, that famous shipwreck find yielded 320 relatively high grade examples of this issue, including the present coin. This delightful MS62 specimen exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout. An extensive network of faint die cracks is evident on the reverse. The well-preserved lemon-yellow surfaces are lustrous and appealing. Census: 59 in 62 (2 in 62★), 228 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 269U, PCGS# 8943

1870 Twenty Dollar, MS60 Elusive in Uncirculated Grades



3414 1870 MS60 PCGS. Type Two double eagles are elusive in Mint State, since the addition of the Motto came after the shipwrecks that yielded many thousands of their Type One predecessors. Unlike their Type Three successors, there were no large-scale exports of Type Two pieces to Europe, and many better-grade examples were likely melted by the Federal government following the 1933 gold recall. This Uncirculated 1870 twenty displays cartwheel luster throughout the reverse. The surfaces are peppered with minor to moderate marks, and the upper left obverse field shows a small podshaped strike-through. Population: 7 in 60, 52 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26A7, PCGS# 8957

1876-CC Liberty Twenty, MS61+ High End for the Grade



3415 1876-CC MS61+ NGC. Variety 3-D. Struck from a scarce die pair, with the CC mintmark widely spaced on the reverse — the only such mintmark configuration among nine known 1876-CC die marriages. As a date, this is one of the few Carson City dates that is collectible by most enthusiasts in Mint State, although such coins remain moderately elusive. This Plus-graded double eagle radiates frosted mint luster and shows a sharp strike. Both sides display uniform yellow-gold color with only light abrasions for the assigned grade. As of (1/20), this is the sole 1876-CC in MS61+ seen by NGC regardless of die variety, with one MS61★ example and 62 finer NGC-certified pieces, nearly all of which are at the MS62 level. NGC ID# 26AW, PCGS# 8977

1888 Twenty Dollar, MS63 Doubled Die Reverse, FS-801, CAC





3416 1888 Doubled Die Reverse, FS-801, MS63 PCGS. CAC. Characteristic "notching" of the hub-doubled die is strongest on the letter bottoms of TWENTY DOLLARS, and doubling is visible most of the way around the peripheral reverse letters and at E PLURIBUS UNUM. Virtually all of the lower reverse elements show some degree of doubling. The strike is bold on this peach-gold example, with few singular abrasions and vibrant, softly frosted mint luster throughout. CAC endorsement adds to the appeal. Population (for the variety): 1 in 63, 1 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 26BT, PCGS# 145738 Base PCGS# 9008

1888-S Liberty Twenty, MS64+ Tied for Finest at PCGS



3417 1888-S MS64+ PCGS. CAC. The 1888-S Liberty double eagle boasts a large mintage of 859,600 pieces. Many examples were used to settle large accounts in foreign trade and others circulated heavily in the regional economy. As a result, the 1888-S is easily located in grades up to the MS63 grade level, but MS64 specimens are scarce, and PCGS has graded no examples in MS65 or finer (1/20).

This Plus-graded Choice specimen is among the finest certified examples at PCGS. This coin exhibits sharply detailed design elements and vivid orange-gold surfaces that show only minor signs of contact. Vibrant mint luster radiates from both sides and overall eye appeal is intense. Population: 63 in 64 (4 in 64+), 0 finer. CAC: 9 in 64, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26BU, PCGS# 9009

1889-CC Double Eagle, MS60 Popular Type Three Branch Mint Issue





3418 1889-CC MS60 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1-A. Only 30,945 Liberty double eagles were struck at he Carson City Mint in 1889, after a three-year hiatus in coinage operations. Fortunately, the issue is more available than the small production total would suggest. Several hoards surfaced in the mid-1990s to augment the supply for present-day collectors. The 1889-CC is still scarce in all Mint State grades, however.

The present coin is an impressive Mint State specimen, with sharply detailed design elements in most areas and just a trace of softness on some star centers. The lustrous orange-gold surfaces show the expected number of minor contact marks for the grade, but overall eye appeal is quite strong. Housed in a green label holder. NGC ID# 26BV, PCGS# 9011

1890 Twenty Dollar, MS63+ Few Are Finer, CAC Endorsed





3419 1890 MS63+ PCGS. CAC. Uncirculated 1890 double eagles are concentrated in MS62 and lower grades. This Plus-graded Select coin is conditionally rare despite the 1890's substantial mintage of 75,940 pieces. Moreover, this is one of just two MS63 coins certified that have received CAC endorsement. Vibrant, frosty cartwheel luster illuminates well-struck design elements. Gradelimiting abrasions are light and unobtrusive. Census: 2 in 63+, 4 finer. CAC: 2 in 63, 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26BX, PCGS# 9013

1899 Twenty Dollar, MS65+ Fully Struck, Bright Mint Luster





3420 1899 MS65+ PCGS. CAC. Premium quality in all respects. The mint luster is nicely frosted and undisturbed by any of the major abrasions that usually plague this large-sized gold type. Fully struck in all areas, the stars on both obverse and reverse are completely defined. One of the most attractive Gem Type Three twenties we have seen recently. Only three pieces have been graded finer and only one of those is PCGS-certified.

Ex: Madison Collection / FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2008), lot 4912. NGC ID# 26CM, PCGS# 9035

1903 Double Eagle, MS66 Tied for the Finest Certified





3421 1903 MS66 PCGS. The 1903 double eagle had a moderate mintage of 287,200 coins, and most surviving examples fall in the low Mint State grade range from MS60 to MS64. The average certified grade of this issue is MS63 on the strength of overseas hoards that have been discovered during the last few decades. Examples that grade MS65 or MS66 are seldom encountered. This beauty has frosty and highly lustrous yellow-gold surfaces with exceptional design definition. A few scattered grade-consistent marks are evident, with a small dark toning spot at the lower right obverse. The collector seeking outstanding quality should carefully consider this opportunity. Population: 6 in 66 (1 in 66+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26CW, PCGS# 9043

HIGH RELIEF DOUBLE EAGLES

1907 High Relief Twenty, AU53 Accessible Wire Rim Example



3422 1907 High Relief, Wire Rim AU53 PCGS. The MCMVII High Relief twenty dollar gold piece is one of the most in-demand issues in American coinage and one of the most magnificent designs ever produced. Although many examples were well-saved in high grades, they come under intense pressure, putting even lower Mint State examples out of reach for most collectors. This accessible AU53 offering is perfectly attractive for the grade, showing just a bit of high-point rub and a minor scattered ticks. Rich yellow-gold color and satiny surfaces are characteristic for the type. A partial Wire Rim is evident on each side. NGC ID# 26F2, PCGS# 9135

1907 High Relief Double Eagle, AU55 Wire Rim Variant



3423 1907 High Relief, Wire Rim AU55 PCGS. Famous sculptor Augustus Saint-Gaudens created the iconic design for the High Relief double eagle at the request of President Theodore Roosevelt. This issue has been called America's most beautiful coinage design, but the coins were unsuited for high-speed modern coinage. Each coin had to be struck multiple times to bring up the features of the design, with the planchet annealed between each strike. It required an average of 12 minutes to strike each coin. In the end, only 12,367 examples were struck before the end of the year.

Like all examples struck before mid-December of 1907, this impressive Choice AU specimen exhibits a fin, or Wire Rim, around the circumference of the coin. This feature was caused by metal extruding through the gap between the collar and the die during the striking process. The three-dimensional sculptural design elements show just a trace of wear on the highest points of the devices and the lustrous reddish-gold surfaces display only scattered minor abrasions. NGC ID# 26F2, PCGS# 9135

1907 High Relief Twenty, AU58 Wire Rim



3424 1907 High Relief, Wire Rim AU58 NGC. President Theodore Roosevelt was a fan of the artistic quality of ancient Greek coinage, and he approached famed sculptor, August Saint-Gaudens, to bring a similar quality to American coinage. The artist began with the large double eagles, and continued with work on the eagles. Unfortunately, his work came to a halt with his death in 1907. Fortunately, before his passing, he created the majestic Liberty design of the double eagles that bear his name. Many consider the Saint-Gaudens double eagles to be the most beautiful coins ever created in the United States, and for good reason. As they were designed, the coins posed challenging for the Mint, requiring multiple blows for each coin, and the design had to be modified for production. The High Relief double eagles show the design nearly as Saint-Gaudens intended. This example shows excellent detail in light yellow-gold, and has traces of wear on the highest points of the design. A splendid and affordable example. NGC ID# 26F2, PCGS# 9135

1907 High Relief Twenty, MS62 Wire Rim Variant



3425 1907 High Relief, Wire Rim MS62 NGC. The concept of translating a sculptural concept into coin form was new to the mint when these coins were produced in 1907. The idea of high relief was not unknown to mint engravers, but it had previously been limited to medals. The idea of applying high relief designs to a circulating coin was antithetical to designers and engravers, especially Chief Engraver Charles Barber. Barber understood the mechanistic production of U.S. coins — the blank planchet makes one pass through the steam press and it emerges a coin. And Barber's low-relief method of design produced coins that would last a generation or more in circulation. Then Augustus Saint-Gaudens entered the mix in 1905 with the backing of President Theodore Roosevelt and the entire process was turned on its head. Art drove coin production with Saint-Gaudens' coins. He actually thought his Ultra High Relief twenties would be coin of the realm, and seemed oblivious to the time required to produce each piece. So to Augustus Saint-Gaudens the coins we know today as the High Relief twenties were a step-down, a compromise, from what he actually wanted for circulating coinage. After four months of round-the-clock striking, the mint produced 12,367 High Relief twenties. This is an attractive example that exhibits bright, satiny mint luster that is only interrupted by a few small contact marks scattered over each side. Light reddish patina is seen on both obverse and reverse, as usual. NGC ID# 26F2, PCGS# 9135

1907 High Relief Double Eagle, MS64+ Scarcer Flat Rim Variant, Satiny Luster



3426 1907 High Relief, Flat Rim, MS64+ NGC. When President Theodore Roosevelt and Augustus Saint-Gaudens embarked on what would be a years-long journey of redesigning the crown jewel of American coinage, the double eagle, they took the high relief coins of the Ancient Greeks as their inspiration. The project was a massive success, save for the fact that the design proved problematic for large-scale production. Although they were struck to the limited extent of 12,367 coins, these High Relief twenties rank among the most beautiful coins ever made.

The is an example of the scarcer Flat Rim type, which constitutes about 30% of the total mintage. They were struck later in the production run after the initial rim issues were corrected. Satiny yellow-gold surfaces show remarkable definition and notably few grazes for the assigned near-Gem grade. A single mark above the left rays identifies the piece. NGC ID# 26F2, PCGS# 9136

MCMVII Double Eagle, MS66 Saint-Gaudens' High Relief Design Scarcer Flat Rim Variant



3427 1907 High Relief, Flat Rim, MS66 NGC. The works of Augustus Saint-Gaudens and one of his major influences, Italian painter and sculptor Pisanello, have much in common. Both men created lauded high relief designs that stood in stark contrast to the artistically dubious coinage of their respective eras. Sutherland's Art in Coinage: The Aesthetic of Money from Greece to Present (1954) described the medieval coinage of Pisanello's time as "the product of simple engravers who for the most part lacked both the vision of the artist and the modeling technique of the sculptor." The work of Charles Barber has been criticized in much the same way. Soon after the Barber coinage was issued in January 1892, the American Journal of Numismatics referred to the new dimes, quarters, and half dollars as "pleasing," but a far cry from "the ideal National coin." The Journal had resigned itself to the necessity and practicality of low relief coinage, though it maintained that only coins of high artistic integrity could truly capture the essence of America:

"It must be admitted that if coins should approach more nearly to medals in the matter of 'relief' they would rapidly lose their beauty and suffer serious loss by attrition. The American genius for invention has not yet turned itself in this direction to any extent, but those who have studied the problem most carefully, seem to have come to the conclusion that coins of the highest type of art will be struck for popular use about the same day that the quadrature of the circle shall be exactly accomplished."

While squaring the circle remains an impossibility, Saint-Gaudens was successful in transforming modern coin design by revolutionizing production techniques at the Mint and, like Pisanello's high relief medals, imparting a sense of artistry to contemporary American coinage. This is a splendid, high-grade example of Saint-Gaudens transformation of modern coinage. The three-dimensionality of the figures on both obverse and reverse are singular in the history of American coinage. The surfaces are bright and satiny with no obvious contact marks. The "fin" or wire rim that is seen on most High Reliefs is not present around the perimeter of the obverse; indicating this coin must be one of the scarcer Flat Rim examples struck after mid-December of 1907. NGC ID# 26F2, PCGS# 9136

SAINT-GAUDENS DOUBLE EAGLES

1914-S Double Eagle, MS66+★ Only One Coin Listed Finer at NGC



3428 1914-S MS66+★ NGC. From a mintage of nearly 1.5 million 1914-S double eagles, merely 1,500 coins were released into circulation and the rest were transferred to Treasury vaults. From there, 1914-S twenties trickled out over the next 15 years, mostly used for export. Most of the coins shipped to Europe, with the balance going to Central and South America, or Japan. There was no significant use for the coins in domestic commerce.

Most high-grade pieces that survive were either put aside early-on for collectors (often from the pyx coins) or from repatriated unopened bags from Central America. This frosted, high-end Premium Gem example shows virtually no sign of coin-to-coin contact, with only a few microscopic marks. Vibrant cartwheel luster illuminates finely textured, orange-gold surfaces. The sharp strike lacks full details on the torch flame, but all else is well-struck. Eye appeal excels. Census: 171 in 66 (2 in 66+, 1 in 66★, 1 in 66+★), 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 82KA, PCGS# 9166



Augustus Saint-Gaudens, 1874

1920-S Double Eagle, MS64 Key Saint-Gaudens Rarity



3429 1920-S MS64 PCGS. CAC. HA-2. Roger Burdette estimates in Saint-Gaudens Double Eagles as Illustrated by the Phillip H. Morse and Stephen Duckor Collections that only 187 of the 1920-S double eagles were actually distributed from the 558,000-coin mintage, accounting for the rarity of this issue. That estimate closely aligns with the combined total NGC and PCGS population of 173 coins, including a certain number of resubmissions. The average certified grade of this issue is 59.7. Many of the surviving double eagles have the annual assay coins as their source in contemporary collections. Others were paid out at the cashier's window of the San Francisco Mint. Burdette analyzed a number of coins that appeared in recent auctions and concluded that the present variety is part of the group that was distributed at the Philadelphia Mint following the annual assay in February 1921.

Burdette mentions that several die varieties of the 1920-S double eagles exist, with two notable varieties individually described. This example is variety HA-2 that is typically better struck than HA-1. The stars at the lower left obverse are sharp, and the reverse rim is separated from the legend letters. The mintmark is well-positioned over the right edge of the 9 in the date, and is centered between two rays. A die crack from the R of LIBERTY passes through the T and Y to the branch. This Choice Mint State double eagle exhibits brilliant and frosty orange-gold luster with trivial, grade-consistent marks on each side. An exceptional example for the grade fully deserving its CAC approval. Population: 12 in 64 (1 in 64+), 6 finer. CAC: 3 in 64, 2 finer (12/19).

From The Kodiak Collection. NGC ID# 26FZ, PCGS# 9171

1923 Saint-Gaudens Twenty, MS66 Registry Set Essential



3430 1923 MS66 PCGS. From a mintage of 566,000 pieces, many examples of the 1923 Saint-Gaudens double eagle were sent to Germany under the provisions of the Dawes Plan. As a result, they were safely stored in European banks when the Gold Recall of 1933 took effect and were spared the extensive melting that other dates of this period experienced. Many coins have been repatriated over the years, but most of them show signs of rough storage and transportation. The typical specimen grades in the MS62-MS63 range and the issue is a prime condition rarity in MS66.

This delightful Premium Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements and well-preserved yellow-gold surfaces that show no mentionable distractions. Vibrant mint luster radiates from both sides, with tremendous eye appeal. Population: 6 in 66, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26G5, PCGS# 9175

1924-D Saint-Gaudens Twenty, MS64 Rare Any Finer





3431 1924-D MS64 PCGS. The 1924-D Saint-Gaudens double eagle becomes somewhat scarce in MS64 condition and finer coins are rare. This impressive Choice example exhibits well-detailed design elements, with just a touch of the usual softness on the upper torch and the Capitol. The well-preserved orange-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster with outstanding eye appeal. PCGS has graded 12 numerically finer examples (1/20). NGC ID# 34VF, PCGS# 9178

1926-S Twenty Dollar, MS64+ Former Branch Mint Rarity

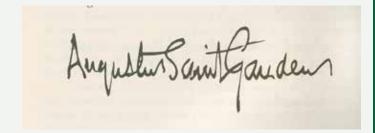




3432 1926-S MS64+ PCGS. Mid-20th century repatriations from Europe helped the 1926-S double eagle transition from its status as one of the rarest issues in the entire series to a moderately accessible branch mint twenty from an otherwise challenging decade. The mintmark is tilted strongly to the right on this high-end near-Gem, showing minimal chatter for the grade. Frosty and strongly defined surfaces feature warm yellow and peach-gold color. As usual, the Capitol dome is incomplete. PCGS reports 44 finer submissions (1/20). NGC ID# 26GF, PCGS# 9185

1927 Double Eagle, MS67 Only One Finer





3433 1927 MS67 PCGS. Most Philadelphia Mint Saint-Gaudens double eagles of the twenties were high mintage affairs that are extremely common today. Certification totals are extraordinarily high, such as the staggering quantity of 311,000 double eagles dated 1927 that PCGS and NGC have graded. Only the 1924 double eagle is more plentiful with double the 1927 population. This beautiful Superb Gem features frosty lemon-yellow luster and bold design motifs with scattered, grade-consistent marks of no consequence. Population: 27 in 67 (3 in 67+), 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26GG, PCGS# 9186

1931 Saint-Gaudens Twenty, MS66 Elusive Late Series Issue Only One Finer Certified



3434 1931 MS66 PCGS. There was little commercial demand for double eagles in the shrinking national economy in 1931, but the coins were still needed for currency reserves. Accordingly, a large mintage of 2,938,250 Saint-Gaudens double eagles was struck at the Philadelphia Mint during the last quarter of that year and held in Mint and Treasury vaults as part of the nation's gold reserves. Roger W. Burdette notes that no coins were sent to Federal Reserve Banks for distribution. As a result, the great majority of the mintage was still in government storage when the Gold Recall took effect in 1933. All of those coins (2,937,750 pieces) were subsequently melted and stored as gold bars at the Fort Knox Bullion Depository. Of the remaining 500 coins, 158 were destroyed in Annual and Special Assays in 1931 and another 32 examples were turned in to be melted by the Treasurer's Office in 1934. Subtracting all these pieces from the reported mintage leaves only 310 examples that were ever available to the general public. An unknown number of those coins were purchased by private individuals from the Mint Cashier and the Treasurer's Office before 1933, but it is doubtful that more than 110 specimens survive today, almost all in Mint State grades. Examples are eagerly sought by collectors today and any auction appearance is a notable numismatic event.

The present coin is among the finest survivors of this famous date, which David Akers considered the sixth rarest issue of the 53-coin series. This delightful Premium Gem exhibits razor-sharp definition on all design elements, aside from some localized softness on the letters IN G in the motto on the reverse. The impeccably preserved orange-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster, with outstanding eye appeal. This lot represents an important opportunity for the series specialist. Population: 11 in 66, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 332W, PCGS# 9192

COMMEMORATIVE SILVER

1921 Alabama 2x2 Half Dollar, MS67 Rare in This Lofty Grade, None Finer



3435 1921 Alabama 2x2 MS67 PCGS. CAC. According to our records we have only offered an Alabama 2x2 coin in this grade on 20 previous occasions since 1993. Four of those offerings were earlier appearances of this same coin. Only 17 other MS67 coins are reportedly certified at PCGS and NGC combined, with none finer (1/20). This fabulous coin appears to have been perfectly preserved over the years. There are none of the distracting blemishes that usually plague most Alabama half dollar survivors. Each side is toned in rich, variegated shades of rose, golden, and lilac, and the coin is sharp in all areas. An exemplary example, tied for finest known. Population: 9 in 67 (2 in 67+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# BYEZ, PCGS# 9225

1928 Hawaiian Half Dollar, PR64 Old Green Label Holder One of 50 Matte Proofs Struck



1928 Hawaiian PR64 PCGS. Congress authorized a coinage of 10,000 Hawaiian half dollars in 1928, for a commemorative issue that would become one of the most popular in the classic series. All 10,000 pieces were struck and distributed, and an additional eight coins were produced and retained for assay purposes. Of the 10,000 coins distributed, 50 were proofs, produced with a sandblast finish in accordance with Mint practices between 1908 and 1936. It is believed that all 50 pieces survive today, although PCGS and NGC combined report only 37 grading events. Of those at PCGS, seven PR64 coins are the finest, one of which is the present example. This piece displays the expectedly sharp strike definition and uniform steel-gray patina. The matte luster is unmistakable, and no distracting marks are observed. Housed in a green label holder. Population: 7 in 64, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# BYN2, PCGS# 9310

1915-S Panama-Pacific Half Dollar, MS67+ Finest Example With CAC Approval





3437 1915-S Panama-Pacific MS67+ PCGS. CAC. Violet and sea-green patina covers most of this softly frosted Pan-Pac commemorative half dollar. Blue and gold accents are interspersed. Smooth fields appear virtually unabraded. Columbia's head shows a touch of softness, but the rest of the coin is strongly detailed, particularly the eagle's breast feathers. There are just four finer grading events at PCGS, and this coin ranks among the top examples with a CAC approval sticker (1/20). NGC ID# BYHP, PCGS# 9357

COMMEMORATIVE GOLD

1905 Lewis and Clark Gold Dollar, MS66 Scarcer of the Two Dates in High Grades





3438 1905 Lewis and Clark Gold Dollar MS66 PCGS. The 1905 Lewis and Clark gold dollar is the scarcer of the two dates in the upper reaches of Mint State. Each side of this Premium Gem offering is characteristically lustrous with rich yellow-gold color and no abrasions to mention. Both portraits are strongly defined. PCGS lists six higher-graded submissions (1/20). NGC ID# BYLG, PCGS# 7448

1915-S Pan-Pac Two and a Half, Sharp MS67 Outstanding Quality and Eye Appeal, CAC



3439 1915-S Panama-Pacific Quarter Eagle MS67 PCGS. CAC. Although 10,000 pieces were authorized for this 1915-S Panama-Pacific commemorative quarter eagle, just 6,749 pieces were sold. The balance of the mintage was melted. The entire classic commemorative series has only two quarter eagle issues — this one, and the 1926 Sesquicentennial issue. By far, the Panama-Pacific is the scarcer gold commemorative quarter eagle.

This Superb Gem example with CAC endorsement ranks among the finest pieces at PCGS. Coruscated mint luster glows from sharply struck, wheat-gold surfaces. Faint die polish lines curl among essentially mark-free satinlike fields and bold devices. Pale-orange highlights gleam from the high points. PCGS reports no numerically finer submissions, supplemented by four pieces certified MS67+ (1/20). NGC ID# BYLP, PCGS# 7450

1915-S Quarter Eagle, MS68 Panama-Pacific Issue



3440 1915-S Panama-Pacific Quarter Eagle MS68 NGC. The Panama Canal linked the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans and the completion provided the occasion to celebrate with an event in San Francisco known as the Panama-Pacific International Exposition. That event gave numismatist and former ANA president Farran Zerbe the inspiration to plan a remarkable set of commemorative coins including a silver half dollar, a gold dollar, a quarter eagle, and two 50-dollar gold coins, one round and the other octagonal.

An absolutely mind-blowing example of the popular 1915-S Panama-Pacific commemorative quarter eagle, this Superb Gem is boldly defined with flawless lemon-yellow luster. Census: 2 in 68, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# BYLP, PCGS# 7450

TERRITORIAL GOLD

(1831-1834) C. Bechtler Five, AU55 Rare Second-Series Issue, 150 G. 20 C.



3441 (1831-34) C. Bechtler Five Dollar, 150G. 20C. AU55 PCGS. K-15, R.7. Important as one of the early five dollar gold pieces from the Bechtler private mint, this K-15 example is rare and in demand. A few pieces (the ultra-rare K-14) were struck before the Bechtler's decided the 150.G. designation was needed, and it was added to the reverse die just below 20.CARATS. The coins had a beaded border, and most pieces show a narrowly off-center strike.

These coins were struck from North Carolina gold, which had lower fineness than either South Carolina or Georgia gold. The 150-grain weight of each piece was high to offset relatively low 20 carat fineness. The net gold content based on that weight and fineness is 125 grains. Federal gold half eagles of the same pre-1834 coinage era contained 123.78 grains of pure gold. Like the Federal government upon introduction of the Classic Head coins, the Bechtler family reduced the gold content of their five-dollar pieces on August 1, 1834. The new standards were 116.67 grains of fine gold in the Bechtler pieces that were inscribed 140 grains, 20 carats, and 116.0 grains in the Federal half eagles.

This is a lovely, semireflective example with vibrant greenish-gold color and orange-gold overtones. The sharp strike is slightly off-center east. A lens reveals pinpoint marks and microscopic lines, but no significant abrasions. The eye appeal is excellent. Listed on page 398 of the 2020 *Guide Book*. Population: 6 in 55, 5 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2B9L, PCGS# 10118

(1834-1837) Bechtler Five Dollar, XF40 K-17, Plain Edge, 'RUTHERFORD.'





3442 (1834-37) C. Bechtler Five Dollar, RUTHERFORD, Plain Edge, XF40 PCGS. K-17, R.5. While all Bechtler gold pieces are scarce-to-rare, the Kagin-17 five dollar is moderately available to Territorial Gold specialists. This Plain Edge variety is well-struck and attractive for the assigned XF40 grade. The legends show reflectivity among the peripheral letters, and reddish-gold color deepens at the margins. A small planchet flaw at the second A of CAROLINA is the sole mint-made irregularity. Orange-gold centers retain their sharp strike. Listed on page 399 of the 2020 Guide Book. Population: 8 in 40, 48 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2B9P, PCGS# 10091

1851 Humbert Fifty, VF Details Reeded Edge, 887 Thous., K-6





3443 1851 Humbert Fifty Dollar, Reeded Edge, 887 Thous. — Repaired — PCGS Genuine. VF Details. K-6, R.4. An impressive specimen of this iconic Gold Rush issue, coined by the respected firm of Moffat and Company, under the provisions of their government contract to act as the U.S. Assay Office of Gold. The design elements are lightly worn in most areas, retaining VF sharpness on the devices. The pleasing orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded for a large gold coin that spent some time in circulation, but some dents are evident on some of the obverse corners. Traces of original mint luster add to the overall visual appeal. Listed on page 402 of the 2020 Guide Book.

From The McDonald Family Collection.

1851 Humbert Fifty, AU50 Reeded Edge, 887 Thous., K-7



3444 1851 Humbert Fifty Dollar, Reeded Edge, 887 Thous. AU50 NGC. K-7, R.4. The well-respected firm of Curtis, Perry and Ward continued the government contract to act as the U.S. Assay Office of Gold after John Little Moffat retired. With Augustus Humbert acting as assayer, they produced many of these iconic fifty dollar gold ingots to serve the burgeoning economy of the Gold Rush era. Most of these "slugs" were later turned in and melted for recoinage after the San Francisco Mint opened in 1854.

This impressive AU50 specimen shows only light wear on the well-detailed design elements and the pleasing orange-gold surfaces exhibit the expected number of minor abrasions for a large gold coin that spent some time in circulation. Both sides retain much of their original mint luster. Listed on page 402 of the 2020 *Guide Book*. Census: 17 in 50, 56 finer (1/20). NGC ID# ANH9, PCGS# 10214

1852 Humbert Ten Dollar, AU55 Red-Gold Color, K-10





3445 1852 Humbert Ten Dollar AU55 NGC. K-10, Low R.4. The coinage of Moffat & Co. under the stewardship of United States Assayer Augustus Humbert served as one of the foundations of Western commerce during the California Gold Rush. They were among the few coins in circulation that could be used for payments at the U.S. Custom House. K-10 features the Y in ASSAYER over the space between NI below. This Choice AU representative boast attractive red-gold color and good detail. Minimal rub and a small marks appear on each side. Listed on page 403 of the 2020 Guide Book. NGC ID# ANGG, PCGS# 10187

1853 Assay Office Twenty, AU53 900 Thous., K-18





3446 1853 Assay Office, 900 Thous. AU53 PCGS. K-18, R.2. The 1853 Assay Office .900 fine double eagles (K-18) quickly replaced substandard .884 twenties (K-17) after that technically illegal emergency mintage lasted only 8 days. Most of the .884 pieces were promptly melted. In contrast, the .900 twenties were minted from March 1 to October 30, 1853, with more than 2.5 million pieces struck. This is a highly attractive and still-lustrous survivor of the K-18 .900 Assay Office double eagle. Sun-gold color illuminates sharply struck devices, while marks are minor and infrequent for the assigned grade. Eye appeal is excellent. Listed on page 405 of the 2020 Guide Book. NGC ID# ANHD, PCGS# 10013

COINS OF HAWAII

(1860) Waterhouse Token, AU58 Scarce Early Hawaiian Issue





3447 (1860) Waterhouse Token AU58 PCGS. Medcalf 2TE-1. Maurice Gould and Ken Bressett assert that these tokens were ordered by local merchant John Thomas Waterhouse (a native of Tasmania) in 1862, and that they circulated throughout the Hawaiian Islands at arbitrary values. No date or denomination are present on these tokens, which were struck in pewter from a single set of dies. According to the 48th Annual Report of the Hawaiian Historical Society for the Year 1939, the tokens were "redeemed by Mr. Waterhouse in 50 cents worth of merchandise" at his general store. The motto at the lower reverse, HALE MAIKAI, means "good" or "useful house." This silver-gray near-Mint example, whose preservation vastly exceeds that of the average survivor, features a touch of field reflectivity and strong overall detail. The king's face normally shows excessive softness, but not here. Those nose and moustache are relatively strong. Listed on page 431 of the 2020 Guide Book. Population: 5 in 58, 2 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 2UBK, PCGS# 600500

PATTERNS

1865 Five Dollar in Copper Judd-446, PR66 Brown





3448 1865 Five Dollar, Judd-446, Pollock-518, High R.6, PR66 Brown NGC. The obverse die is the regular design for the year. The reverse is the design adopted in 1866, with the scroll over the eagle's head and the motto IN GOD WE TRUST added. Struck in copper with a reeded edge. This transitional dies trial may have been struck in 1865, but it also may have been struck later with other With Motto restrikes. As pointed out on the USPatterns. com website, "The first definite appearance of this design was in the April 1870 auction by John Haseltine of coins from the Idler collection." Although labeled Brown, there is significant underlying mint red on each side. The brightness in the fields further enhances this underlying color. Problem-free.

Ex: T. Henry Allen Collection (Stack's, 2/1977), lot 1140; Queller Family Collection, Part Two / FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2009), lot 1647. NGC ID# 29JU, PCGS# 60633

1870 William Barber Half in Silver Judd-933, PR66 Cameo





3449 1870 Half Dollar, Judd-933, Pollock-1039, Low R.7, PR66 Cameo NGC. William Barber's Seated Liberty design, interesting for its placement of the shield behind her legs which is supported with her right hand. She holds an olive branch in her left. A liberty pole is behind the shield and a scroll crosses the shield and is inscribed LIBERTY in incused letters. The reverse is the type used for regular issue Seated halves. Struck in silver with a reeded edge. Each side is brilliant, except for a faint suggestion of color on the lower obverse. PCGS# 535388

1871 Longacre Seated Dollar in Aluminum Judd-1150, PR67



3450 1871 Dollar, Judd-1150, Pollock-1292, High R.7, PR67 NGC. The Longacre design is used on the obverse that features Liberty seated with conjoined flags behind, left hand resting on a globe, and right hand holding a Liberty pole with Phrygian cap on top. The reverse is of the regular die. Struck in aluminum with a plain edge. Longacre died in 1869, and the obverse die was assumedly prepared by his successor, William Barber. Also struck in copper and silver. The aluminum strikes with a plain edge (or reeded for that matter) only number around a half-dozen pieces. This Superb Gem aluminum example displays deeply reflective fields with the usually seen mint frost over the devices. Problem-free surfaces. Census: 1 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2A5B, PCGS# 61412

1873 Bailly-Designed Dollar in Copper Judd-1283, PR66 Red and Brown Cameo





3451 1873 Trade Dollar, Judd-1283, Pollock-1425, R.7, PR66 Red and Brown Cameo NGC. J.A. Bailly designed the obverse with a bust of Liberty facing left, her hair coiled at the back of her head. The date is below with 13 stars around. The reverse has an eagle with wings displayed, holding three arrows and supporting a shield. A ribbon inscribed IN GOD WE TRUST crosses the shield. 420 GRAINS, 900 FINE and TRADE DOLLAR are below the eagle, with UNITED STATES OF AMERICA and E PLURIBUS UNUM above. Struck in copper with a reeded edge. Because it was not part of the six-piece Trade dollar sets that the Mint sold in 1873, Judd-1283 is substantially rarer than some other patterns of this series. It is believe that about 10 examples still exist. This is an amazing Gem Cameo proof with bright orange-red color. The devices on both sides are boldly defined.

Ex: Lemus / Queller Family Collection, Part Two (Heritage, 1/2009), lot 1835. NGC ID# 2A8D, PCGS# 71568

1879 Morgan-Designed Half in Copper Judd-1602, PR66 Red and Brown





3452 1879 Morgan Half Dollar, Judd-1602, Pollock-1797, R.7, PR66 Red and Brown PCGS. The obverse is similar to that used on the regular issue Morgan dollar. The reverse depicts a stiffnecked, eagle with spread wings perched atop an olive branch and a bundle of arrows. The legend UNITED STATES OF AMERICA is at the top, the denomination HALF DOLLAR is at the bottom, and the motto IN GOD WE TRUST arches around and below the eagle's portrait. Struck in copper with a reeded edge. Only a dozen examples are believed known in copper and silver. Significant mint red survives on each side with blue interspersed. The centers are weakly defined, as always. Let's digress a moment on that last point. Yes, the centers are weak, but this is a pattern. Insufficient metal flow into all the recesses of the die for each side is not expected. When a design moves from the pattern phase into regular production the problem of die opposition is (usually) worked out, so each side will fully strike up. So, in a pattern this is not a production flaw; it just means this is as far as the design went. NGC ID# 2AGT, PCGS# 71980

1880 Flowing Hair Stella in Gilt Copper Judd-1658, PR62





3453 1880 Flowing Hair Four Dollar, Judd-1658 Gilt, Pollock-1858, Low R.7, PR62 NGC. The Charles Barber Flowing Hair design from the 1879 stellas is carried over here into a second year of production. But the two issues are hardly carbon copies, even though the design appears the same. On the 1880 pieces, the date is unusually small, shifted right, with the 0 in the date nearly touching the lowest hair curls. The reverse is a carbon copy, the same die carried over from the 1879 strikings. Struck in copper, gilt, with a reeded edge. Over a dozen copper examples are known with many of these gilt. The reason to gilt these is obvious: to visually simulate the much more expensive gold strikes at a fraction of the cost. The gilt finish has subdued the mirroring in the fields, but the layer of gold is intact throughout. NGC ID# 2AJG, PCGS# 62043

CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA

Circa 1962 Set of Six Bashlow Second Restrike Trial Pieces In the Original Plastic Holders





3454 Circa 1962 Set of Six Bashlow Confederate Cent Second Restrike Trial Pieces. Bertram B861-211 through B861-216. Robert Bashlow, the New York coin dealer, acquired the original Confederate cent dies in 1961, and had the Philadelphia firm of August C. Frank Company produce transfer dies. These so-called trial pieces are each on thick planchets. Peter Bertram discusses the Bashlow pieces in detail in his 2016 reference, Confederate Numismatica

Each piece measures 19.1 to 19.2 mm. The six pieces are composed of red fiber (1.1 grams), aluminum (2.1 grams), zinc (5.4 grams), tin (5.5 grams), nickel-silver (6.2 grams), and lead (8.6 grams) according to the original three-piece lucite holders that house each piece. According to Peter Bertram, these are the original holders of issue from Bashlow. While the holders note that 50 sets were issued, it is doubtful that more than a handful of sets have survived in these holders.

The red fiber and lead pieces are housed in unrecorded red holders, the aluminum piece is housed in an unrecorded blue holder, the zinc piece is housed in an unrecorded green holder, the tin piece is housed in a black holder, and the nickel-silver piece is housed in a white holder.

These uncertified pieces are Uncirculated, essentially as issued, although with slight toning. Each piece is fully lustrous as struck with no evidence of later problems or imperfections. While these pieces are uncertified, for reference, NGC has certified six red fiber, 10 aluminum, three zinc, eight tin, seven nickel-silver, and five lead. These sets are rarely encountered. We have only handled one other set in the past 27 years.

End of Session One



SESSION TWO

COLONIALS

1652 Pine Tree Shilling, XF40 Noe-29, Small Planchet





3455 1652 Pine Tree Shilling, Small Planchet, XF40 PCGS. Noe-29, W-930, Salmon 11-F, R.3. 71.6 grains. A distinctive variety with the D in NEW ENGLAND first inverted and then corrected. Imperfectly centered with the legends partially off the flan at the top of the obverse and reverse, yet virtually full standard weight for these Pine Tree shillings. This piece has attractive medium gray surfaces with trivial planchet flaws and inconsequential marks. Listed on page 41 of the 2020 Guide Book. NGC ID# 2ARZ, PCGS# 24

Circa 1688 American Plantations Token, XF Details Newman 8-C, W-1175, Sidewise 4





3456 (1688) American Plantations 1/24 Part Real, Sidewise 4—Environmental Damage — PCGS Genuine. XF Details. N. 8-C, W-1175, R.7. Moderate to heavy corrosion and the usual tin pests are evident on this original American Plantations token. This is an attractive example with rich gray surfaces. Two varieties of the Sidewise 4 type are known, and both are elusive. Less than a dozen examples of Newman 8-C are thought to survive, and possibly as few as 20 examples of both varieties are known. Listed on page 43 of the 2020 *Guide Book*.

Undated Rosa Americana Twopence, MS62 Brown Motto on Label, M. 2.1-B.1





3457 Undated Rosa Americana Twopence, Motto on Label, MS62 Brown PCGS. CAC. M. 2.1-B.1, R.3. Sydney Martin has identified three die varieties of the Undated Rosa American twopence. The two varieties with the motto in the field are rarities, while the one variety with the motto on a label, as offered here, is plentiful. The obverse of this attractive Mint State piece blends light yellow and chocolate-brown. The reverse is rich olive-brown. An attractive representative of this early colonial coinage. Listed on page 44 of the 2020 Guide Book. NGC ID# 2U3Z, PCGS# 92

1779 Rhode Island Ship Token, AU58 Brass No Wreath Example, Betts-562





3458 1779 Rhode Island Ship Token, No Wreath, Brass, AU58 PCGS. Betts-562, W-1730, R.4. The word VLUGTENDE at the lower obverse has been removed from the die, producing a void between DE and the date, as usual. This example barely shows a brush of friction. Current publications about these pieces are seemingly incorrect. Researcher Christopher McDowell observes that the production of these pieces in England for propaganda is false. He describes these pieces as Dutch medallic-jetons and suggests that they were "used in games of chance or played with by children, which explains why many show evidence of circulation or wear." Coppery-brown surfaces retain golden-olive accents around the devices, and the strike is bold. Listed on page 52 of the 2020 Guide Book. NGC ID# D7HW, PCGS# 579

1788 Massachusetts Cent, MS62 Brown Ryder 10-L, W-6280, Period on Reverse





3459 1788 Massachusetts Cent, Period, R. 10-L, W-6280, High R.2, MS62 Brown NGC. A lovely Mint State example of this plentiful variety, this example has outstanding chocolate-brown surfaces with a minor planchet flaw at the upper obverse. The strike is sharp and well-centered. The Ryder 10-L die marriage is encountered from time to time in Mint State grades. An excellent type collection opportunity. Listed on page 61 of the 2020 Guide Book. PCGS# 688349 Base PCGS# 948

1786 M. 2.1-A Connecticut Copper, AU50 Small Head, ETLIB INDE





3460 1786 Connecticut Copper, Small Round Head Right, ETLIB INDE, M. 2.1-A, W-2465, R.3, AU50 PCGS. A scarce variety featuring the Small Round Head obverse and the ETLIB INDE reverse, this die pair is rarely encountered in such a high grade. The Eric P. Newman Collection, for example, had a M. 2.1-A that grades just Fine 15. Prior to the current offering, the finest we have handled is an XF piece that was tooled. A glossy brown example, this piece is about equal to lot 244 in the May 2005 offering of the John J. Ford collection, and is finer than those in the Perkins and Taylor collections. While bluntly struck at the centers as usual, the peripheral details are sharply defined. The surfaces are mostly free of the usual flaws that so often plague surviving examples from these dies. An exceptional opportunity for the advanced specialist. Listed on page 63 of the 2020 Guide Book. PCGS# 686823 Base PCGS# 325

1787 M. 4-L Connecticut Copper, AU58+ Middle Die State Horned Bust





3461 1787 Connecticut Copper, Mailed Bust Left, Horned Bust, M. 4-L, W-2810, R.1, AU58+ PCGS. 111.2 grains. A spectacular example of the popular Horned Bust variety of Connecticut copper, in a later middle die state with the horn fully connected to the bust. Boldly on a slightly narrow planchet with the border details mostly absent, this piece has nearly flawless glossy chocolate-brown surfaces. The obverse is imperceptibly off-center with the tops of AUCTORI off the flan, while the reverse is well centered with full legends. This piece ranks among the finest surviving examples of the popular and plentiful variety. Population: 4 in 58 (1 in 58+), 2 finer (1/20). Listed on page 63 of the 2020 Guide Book. PCGS# 686406 Base PCGS# 364

1787 Immunis Columbia, XF45 W-5680, Eagle Reverse





3462 1787 Immunis Columbia, Eagle Reverse, XF45 PCGS. W-5680, High R.4. PCGS calls these pieces copper patterns, perhaps following numismatic tradition that states they must be patterns due to their rarity. However, the W-5680 Immunis Columbia piece offered here is best classified as a scarce variety. This piece is somewhat weakly defined, as are most, but only shows a trace of wear and might deserve a higher grade than PCGS assigns. Struck on an incomplete planchet, both sides are pleasing with olivebrown toning. Listed on page 57 of the 2020 Guide Book. NGC ID# BFIL, PCGS# 841

1788 New Jersey Copper, AU58 M. 67-v, The Braided Mane





3463 1788 New Jersey Copper, Head Right, Braided Mane, M. 67-v, W-5510, R.1, AU58 NGC. The horse's mane appears to be braided on this plentiful New Jersey variety, a distinctive look for these early American pieces. This splendid example has glossy chocolate-brown surfaces with traces of high-point wear. A trifle weakly struck, this piece retains many of the original planchet marks from production. Listed on page 73 of the 2020 Guide Book. PCGS# 767851 Base PCGS# 516765

1785 Vermont Copper, VF30 VERMONTIS, RR-4, W-2015





3464 1785 Vermont Copper, VERMONTIS, RR-4, Bressett 3-C, W-2015, High R.4, VF30 PCGS. A relatively early die state with little evidence of the obverse die buckling that eventually weakens definition of the plow and rising sun. Generally golden-brown, with hints of olive-green and russet. All the legends are bold, and aside from a few faint pinscratches, the surfaces are pleasing. The reverse is misaligned slightly toward 11 o'clock. Listed on page 74 of the 2020 Guide Book. Population: 4 in 30, 6 finer (1/20). Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 5/2008), lot 1966. PCGS# 800846 Base PCGS# 542

1786 Vermont Copper, XF40 Bust Left, RR-10, W-2045





3465 1786 Vermont Copper, Bust Left, RR-10, Bressett 8-G, W-2045, R.4, XF40 PCGS. This piece grades highly from a technical perspective, since wear is moderate and the golden-brown fields are free from marks and verdigris. Planchet flaws are relatively prominent on the major devices, and the left borders also display mint-made flaws. Listed on page 74 of the 2020 *Guide Book*. Population: 2 in 40, 1 finer (1/20).

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2007), lot 168; FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2009), lot 74. PCGS# 800828 Base PCGS# 551

1788 Vermont Copper, VG8 Backward C, RR-30, W-2225





3466 1788 Vermont Copper, Backward C in AUCTORI, RR-30, Bressett 23-S, W-2225, R.6, VG8 NGC. The inverted C in AUCTORI identifies the popular and elusive RR-30 variety. Like many examples seen, this piece was struck with the inverted C about halfway off the planchet, along with the other letters in that word. The mahogany surfaces are lightly abraded, but extensive wear shows on the central devices. The peripheral legends remain bold and the surfaces are slightly granular in some areas. Listed on page 74 of the 2020 Guide Book. Census: 1 in 8, 2 finer (1/20). PCGS# 689362 Base PCGS# 566

Washington Born Virginia Cent, AU50 Baker-60, W-10730





3467 (1792) Washington Born Virginia Cent, Inscribed Reverse, AU50 PCGS. Baker-60, W-10730, Musante GW-33, R.5. Copper, 31mm, plain edge. Scarce General reverse issue. This piece displays only light wear and has deep burgundy-brown surfaces. Uneven sharpness leaves the lower left obverse and upper left reverse quadrants poorly defined, although most of the legends in those areas are still discernible at an angle. Listed on page 84 of the 2020 Guide Book. NGC ID# 2B79, PCGS# 723

HALF CENTS

1794 C-4a, B-6b Half Cent, VF25 Small Edge Letters





3468 1794 Normal Head, Small Edge Letters, C-4a, B-6b, R.3, VF25 PCGS. CAC. The C-4a, B-6b 1794 half cent ranks among the plentiful varieties of the date, making an ideal candidate for the type or date collector. In our opinion, this is a one-year type coin as the head is distinctly different than the 1794 High Relief obverse, and far different from the head that appears on 1795, 1796, and 1797 half cents. This piece has excellent olive and steel-brown surfaces. Our EAC grade Fine 15. NGC ID# 2223, PCGS# 35036 Base PCGS# 35015

1796 C-2, B-2 Half Cent, AG Details With Pole Obverse





3469 1796 With Pole, C-2, B-2, High R.4 — Environmental Damage — PCGS Genuine. AG Details. A pleasing example of this important key half cent issue despite the light roughness on its olive-brown surfaces. The date, LIBERTY, and the bust are all fully visible on the obverse, while part of the wreath and much of the statutory legend are evident on the reverse. Our EAC grade Fair 2. From The McDonald Family Collection.

1835 C-1, B-1, Half Cent, MS64 Red Vibrantly Lustrous





3470 1835 C-1, B-1, R.1, MS64 Red PCGS. Manley Die State 2.0, multiple sets of clash marks. Possibly a hoard coin, given the amount of original mint red remaining. The obverse border is strong, showing complete star centrils and dentils, while the reverse dentils are weak along the upper rim. A few traces of olive tinting on the portrait serve to highlight the vivid orange-red luster that encompasses each side, and there are only a few faint flecks visible beneath a loupe. Our EAC grade MS64. NGC ID# 2233, PCGS# 35290 Base PCGS# 1170

PROOF HALF CENT

1852 Half Cent, PR64 Brown First Restrike, B-2





3471 1852 First Restrike PR64 Brown PCGS. B-2, R.4. The 1852 First Restrike is undoubtedly the most plentiful variety of the proof-only half cent dates, and it ranks as one of the most frequently encountered proof half cents of any issue. Steel-blue and coppery-red toning is blended on the obverse while the reverse is primarily toned blue. A pleasing example with a few grade-limiting marks and hairlines. This is an excellent opportunity for the proof type collector. Our EAC grade PR60. PCGS# 35402 Base PCGS# 1317

LARGE CENTS

1793 S-3, B-4 Chain Cent, VG Details





3472 1793 Chain, AMERICA, S-3, B-4, Low R.3 — Damage — PCGS Genuine. VG Details. The profile is outlined, LIBERTY is complete, and the tops of the date digits are visible. The reverse is bold with a full chain and complete lettering. The light brown obverse and steel-brown reverse show moderate pitting, corrosion, scratches, and small rim bruises. Our EAC grade Fair 2. From The McDonald Family Collection.

1793 S-6, B-7 Wreath Cent, VF20 The Sprung Die





3473 1793 Wreath, Vine and Bars Edge, S-6, B-7, R.3, VF20 PCGS. A prominent bulge is visible in the left obverse field from the border at 9 o'clock to the middle hair curls, although there is no evidence of the die crack that eventually forms along that bulge. A few trivial planchet laminations and inconsequential handling marks are evident, with reverse rim bruises at 12:30, 2 o'clock, and 4:30. Our EAC grade VG10.

Ex: Goldberg Auctions (Sale 90, 1/2016), lot 450. NGC ID# 223H, PCGS# 35450 Base PCGS# 1347

1799 S-189, B-3 Cent, AG Details





3474 1799 S-189, B-3, R.2 — Environmental Damage — PCGS Genuine. AG Details. The bust of Liberty is fully outlined and the tops of the date digits are visible, enough so for positive identification and authenticity. Part of the wreath and most of the lettering can be made out on the reverse of this smooth and pleasing dark brown cent that is more attractive than the PCGS designation suggests. Our EAC grade AG3.

From The McDonald Family Collection.

1800 S-201, B-17 Cent, VF20 Lovely Two-Tone Example





3475 1800 S-201, B-17, High R.4, VF20 NGC. The 1800 S-201 cent has a low overall Condition Census With the finest known grading just VF20 by EAC standards. In our opinion, this example ranks sixth in the roster of the finest S-201 cents. Traces of old verdigris appear around the lettering on both sides of this olive-steel and chestnut-brown cent that has lighter patina on the devices. Our EAC grade Fine 12. NGC ID# 2248, PCGS# 36191 Base PCGS# 1449

1820 N-13 Cent, MS65 Red From the Pittman Collection





3476 1820 Large Date, N-13, R.1, MS65 Red NGC. Ex: Pittman. This popular Randall Hoard variety is invariably sharply defined and typically has considerable original mint color as seen on this Gem from the John Jay Pittman Collection. The red mint color has faded slightly on both sides, yet this is a highly attractive example that perfectly matches David Akers description of nearly 23 years ago. Akers noted that Pittman purchased this piece in 1951 for five dollars. Our EAC grade MS63.

Ex: George Bauer Auction (1951). NGC ID# 2256, PCGS# 36675 Base PCGS# 1617

1851 N-10 Cent, MS67 Brown None Numerically Finer





3477 1851 N-10, R.1, MS67 Brown NGC. This beauty is tied for the finest numerically that NGC has certified, including all die varieties. That grading service has examined 22 examples that are certified MS67 including 18 Brown, three Red and Brown, and one Red. This glossy bluish-brown Superb Gem is sharply struck with virtually flawless surfaces. It is undoubtedly one of the finest existing 1851 N-10 cents. Our EAC grade MS65. NGC ID# 226H, PCGS# 406677 Base PCGS# 1892

1853 N-25 Cent, MS65 Red CAC Approval, Ex: Garrett, Naftzger





3478 1853 N-25, R.1, MS65 Red PCGS. CAC. Ex: Naftzger Collection. Grellman Die State b. This Red 1853 Gem Large cent previously resided in both the Naftzger and Garrett collections and meets the unsurpassed level of quality that collectors have come to associate with those two names. Both sides are gleaming copper-orange and radiant mint luster. A few gunmetal accents are present on each side, and an identifying planchet void occurs in the field above Liberty's nose. Repunching is visible below the 1 and 3. An ideal type or Registry Set coin. Our EAC grade MS64. Ex: Garrett Collection, (Bowers & Ruddy, 11/1979), lot 199; Ted Naftzger Collection of Late Date Large Cents (Goldberg Auctions, 9/2009), lot 1173; Regency Auction 33 (Legend Rare Coin Auctions, 6/2019), lot 49. NGC ID# 226K, PCGS# 403925 Base PCGS# 1903

FLYING EAGLE CENTS

3479 1857 MS64 PCGS. Gleaming almond-tan surfaces on the obverse are relatively pristine save for a couple of microflecks, while the reverse cedes to deeper orange in a crescent of color along the left margin. A nice and classy near-Gem of this second-year type. NGC ID# 226P, PCGS# 2016

1857 Flying Eagle Cent, MS65 Smooth and Lustrous





3480 1857 MS65 NGC. The introductory small cent type, the Flying Eagle, was struck for commerce only in 1857 and 1858 before ceding to its Indian successor. Mintages were generous relative to the large cent, but Gems are fairly scarce. This wheat-gold example offers vibrant luster and pleasing surfaces. The strike shows minor blending on the tail and cotton leaves. The insert is hand-signed by *Guide Book* editor Ken Bressett. NGC ID# 226P, PCGS# 2016

1857 Flying Eagle Cent, MS65 Snow-17, Doubled Die Obverse





3481 1857 MS65 PCGS. Snow-17, Doubled Die Obverse. A "very scarce variety," according to Rick Snow, and the only 1857 doubled die with counterclockwise doubling. The doubling is heaviest on the peripheral legends, where it is easily seen with low power magnification. A vertical die flaw appears as a "shiny" strip in the planchet from the rim at 6 o'clock through the 8 in the date to the eagle's breast, a diagnostic of Snow-17. This Gem example is a trifle weakly struck on the eagle's tailfeathers but is otherwise well-defined. Satiny tan-gold luster has orange tendencies, and eye appeal is pleasing. NGC ID# 226P, PCGS# 2016

3482 1858 Large Letters MS64 PCGS. This Choice Mint State 1858 Large Letters Flying Eagle cent is housed in a Generation 1.2 PCGS "Rattler" holder that was in use from February 1986 to September 1989. A white foam gasket was intended to hold the coin in place, although it has rotated one-eighth turn to the left. The coin has pale golden-tan surfaces with faintly reflective fields and traces of iridescent luster. Scattered carbon flecks are evident on both sides. This is an attractive piece for the early small cent enthusiast or the PCGS holder collector. NGC ID# 2277, PCGS# 2019

1858 Flying Eagle Cent, MS66 Large Letters Type Coin





3483 1858 Large Letters MS66 PCGS. High Leaves Reverse. Closed E in ONE. Highly lustrous copper-gold surfaces display exemplary preservation. A tick well-hidden in the feathers above the talon and another below ER barely merit mention. The motifs exhibit a slightly uneven strike, but the practically unabraded fields and uninhibited mint luster are what set this coin apart. Population: 49 in 66 (8 in 66+), 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2277, PCGS# 2019

3484 1858 Small Letters MS64 PCGS. CAC. Low Leaves Reverse. Open E hubbed over a Closed E in ONE. A crisply struck Choice Mint State cent with honey-gold and ice-blue toning. Carbon is nearly absent save for a spot at the upper left serif of the N in ONE, and marks are trivial except above the T in CENT. NGC ID# 2279, PCGS# 2020

PROOF FLYING EAGLE CENT

1856 Proof Flying Eagle Cent Snow-9, Fine Details





3485 1856 Snow-9 — Scratched — PCGS Genuine. Proof, Fine Details. The attribution pick-up points are faint due to the extent of wear on this circulated proof, although the absence of prominent die markers for other varieties confirms that this piece is a Snow-9 representative. Wear is even and each side displays original olive-tan patina. Scattered light abrasions are typical of the grade, although a thin pinscratch from the rim through the O in OF and down across the eagle prevents a numeric grade from PCGS. A collectible 1856 Flying Eagle cent.

INDIAN CENTS

1862 Indian Head Cent, MS67 Virtually Impossible to Upgrade





3486 1862 MS67 PCGS. Gleaming coppery-gold surfaces appear as they must have the day this early Indian Head cent was struck. Radiant mint luster swirls over each side. The devices are fully defined, and there are just a couple of microscopic ticks on the obverse. An incredible survivor from a mintage in excess of 28 million coins. Population: 14 in 67 (2 in 67+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 227H, PCGS# 2064

1864 Cent, MS65 Red L On Ribbon





3487 1864 L On Ribbon MS65 Red PCGS. The uncommon and popular type with designer's initial L sideways on Liberty's neck, a variant that is seldom seen at the Red Gem level and is rare any finer. Generally copper-orange surfaces are strongly lustrous with occasional suggestions of paler gold. Population: 33 in 65 Red, 3 finer (11/10).

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2011), lot 4071.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 227M, PCGS# 2081

1867 Indian Cent, MS65 Red Elusive Registry-Grade Example





3488 1867 MS65 Red PCGS. This early bronze issue is scarce in Gem Red condition and rare finer. The present coin displays sharp detail and satiny mint luster, cast in shades of yellow-gold coloration. There is no obvious carbon spotting, and the eye appeal is strong. Population: 38 in 65 (3 in 65+) Red, 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 227R, PCGS# 2090

1870 Cent, MS65 Red Conditionally Challenging





3489 1870 MS65 Red PCGS. Soft, frosty copper-orange luster envelops this Gem Red 1870 Indian cent, complementing a bold strike and a lack of bothersome abrasions. A loupe a few faint flecks, none of which are distracting. The 1870 Indian cent is scarce in MS65 Red and rare any finer. Population: 55 in 65 (13 in 65+) Red, 11 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 227U, PCGS# 2099

1871 Cent, MS64 Red Colorful Original Luster





3490 1871 MS64 Red PCGS. The 1871 Indian cent is scarce in Red condition, regardless of grade. This near-Gem example displays impressively sharp detail and rich satin luster, with golden-orange and yellow-rose hues covering each side. Faint flecks do not detract. Population: 28 in 64 (1 in 64+) Red, 20 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 227V, PCGS# 2102

1877 Cent, Original AU55 Elusive CAC Collector Coin





3491 1877 AU55 PCGS. CAC. An outstanding collector-grade example of this key date, in Choice AU condition with CAC approval. Flecks of gold and burgundy accent otherwise olivebrown patina, and wear is restricted to the highest points of the devices. From the Shallow N in ONE hub, as is diagnostic of the sought-after circulation strike. When the small CAC population in this grade is considered, the present coin's importance becomes readily obvious. CAC: 14 in 55, 53 finer (12/19).

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 2284, PCGS# 2127

1877 Cent, MS64 Red and Brown Attractive Collector Coin





3492 1877 MS64 Red and Brown PCGS. An attractive, collectible Mint State example of this key Indian cent issue, yielding bold strike sharpness and balanced copper-red and burgundy coloration. Neither side exhibits bothersome abrasions, although a few tiny ticks in the lower left obverse field prevent Gem classification. The shallow N in ONE on the reverse is diagnostic of the circulation strike hub and is not from a weak strike. NGC ID# 2284, PCGS# 2128

1877 Cent, MS64 Red and Brown Significant Red Luster Remains





3493 1877 MS64 Red and Brown PCGS. This near-Gem circulation strike displays mostly copper-red, gold, and orange luster, although wisps of violet and burgundy are present to prevent Red classification. Nonetheless, significant original luster is present for the Red and Brown category. Detail is sharp, and neither side has significant abrasions. This is an example of the Indian cent key date that will fit in well with an otherwise Gem or better Red collection. NGC ID# 2284, PCGS# 2128

1886 Type One Indian Cent, MS65 Red Elusive in This Grade





3494 1886 Type One MS65 Red PCGS. The lowest headdress feather points between the IC in AMERICA on the Type One hub of this date. The present coin displays bold strike sharpness and attractive satin luster. Copper-orange and reddish hues adorn each side, along with wisps of light green along the lower reverse border. An appealing coin with grade surface quality. Population: 27 in 65 Red, 8 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 228D, PCGS# 2156

1887 Cent, MS66 Red High-End Copper-Gold Surfaces





3495 1887 MS66 Red PCGS. Bright copper-gold surfaces are wonderfully preserved with nothing more than a few tiny ticks visible solely with magnification. The feather tips are relatively well-detailed, and the ribbon diamonds and reverse shield show crisp definition. A faint die crack runs through the bottom of the date and parts of the obverse legend. Much rarer at this level than the mintage of 45.2 million coins suggests. Population: 35 in 66 (8 in 66+) Red, 3 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 228F, PCGS# 2159

1888/7 Cent, Choice VF Famous Overdate, Snow-1, FS-301





3496 1888/7 Snow-1, FS-301, VF35 NGC. This is hands-down the most famous and sought-after variety in the widely collected Indian Head cent series. The most recent edition of Rick Snow's series reference documents 35 known examples. A few more probably exist, but not too many, as the variety has been well-publicized for more than 40 years. This mid-grade representative is evenly circulated with golden-brown fields and steel accents over the high points. Reddish-purple color appears at the right obverse. Faint remnants of the underlying 7 are clear, and the diagnostic rim break above TE in UNITED is evident. Smooth and minimally marked with a single, slender pinscratch left of the 1 in the date. Census: 1 in 35, 7 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 228G, PCGS# 37543 Base PCGS# 2169

1891 Indian Cent, MS66 Red Registry Grade Example





3497 1891 MS66 Red PCGS. The original red surfaces of this delightful Premium Gem are impeccably preserved and carbon-free, with vibrant mint luster on both sides. The design elements are sharply detailed throughout and overall eye appeal is outstanding. From a mintage of 47 million pieces, few survivors can match the quality of this remarkable specimen. Population: 25 in 66 (4 in 66+) Red, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 228K, PCGS# 2180

1894 Cent, MS66 Red One Finer at PCGS





3498 1894 MS66 Red PCGS. This otherwise plentiful issue becomes scarce in MS66 Red and proves nearly impossible to obtain in higher grades. Well-struck devices appear throughout the brightly lustrous, fire-orange surfaces. Carbon and ticks are practically unseen. One of the best-preserved examples from a substantial mintage of 16.7 million coins. Population: 42 in 66 (13 in 66+) Red, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 228N, PCGS# 2189

1894 Indian Cent, MS66+ Red Vivid Orange Color





1894 MS66+ Red PCGS. Intense, frosty mint luster yields vivid fire-orange luster across this high-end Premium Gem 1894 Indian cent. Strike sharpness is pleasing, and only a few small flecks are visible beneath a loupe. The 1894 is a slightly better date overall, especially scarce in MS66 Red. Finer Red coins are rare. Population: 42 in 66 (13 in 66+) Red, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 228N, PCGS# 2189

1908-S Cent, MS65 Red Inaugural S-Mint Issue





3500 1908-S MS65 Red PCGS. CAC. This is a highly attractive 1908-S cent. The surfaces are uniformly bright and show even reddish-yellow mint luster. The upper feather of the headdress is indistinct, as always on this die pairing. The only flaw is a spot of carbon at 12 o'clock at the top of the reverse. There is also a piece of unknown debris at 4 o'clock on the reverse that appears to be inert. Ex: Summer FUN Signature (Heritage, 7/2011), lot 3108. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 2296, PCGS# 2234

1908-S Cent, MS66 Red Exemplary Luster and Preservation





3501 1908-S MS66 Red PCGS. Frosty cartwheel luster illuminates this Premium Gem Red 1908-S Indian cent in bright golden-orange color. The surfaces are carbon-free and display unabraded satiny texture. The final A in AMERICA is indistinct from a filled die, but the strike is otherwise well-executed. Rarely seen in higher grades. Population: 77 in 66 (17 in 66+) Red, 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2296, PCGS# 2234

1909-S Indian Cent, MS65 Red Important Branch Mint Issue





3502 1909-S MS65 Red PCGS. This peach-red key-date Indian cent exhibits potent luster and is splendidly unabraded aside from faint contact on the cheek. Only some minuscule carbon spots stand in the way of an even finer grade. Only the second branch mint cent issue, and the mintage of 309,000 pieces is the lowest of the series. Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2009), lot 383; ANA Signature (Heritage, 3/2011), lot 3081.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 2298, PCGS# 2240

PROOF INDIAN CENTS

1861 Indian Cent, PR64 Attractive Early Proof





3503 1861 PR64 PCGS. Eagle Eye Photo Seal. Despite a relatively generous reported mintage of 1,000 pieces, the 1861 proof Indian cent is scarce in PR64 condition and finer coins are rare. This attractive Choice proof exhibits razor-sharp definition on all design elements and the fields are hazily reflective. The well-preserved surfaces show a mix of copper-red and light crimson patina. Population: 71 in 64 (1 in 64+), 35 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 229B, PCGS# 2256

1861 Indian Cent, PR64+ Elusive Cameo Example





3504 1861 PR64+ Cameo PCGS. From an estimated mintage of 1,000 pieces, the 1861 proof Indian cent is a key issue in the proof series. This Plus-graded Choice example exhibits sharply detailed design elements in most areas, with just the slightest softness on some feather tips. The fields are deeply mirrored and contrast boldly with the frosty devices. The lightly marked copper-gold surfaces are slightly granular in a few areas. Population: 1 in 64 (1 in 64+) Cameo, 5 finer (1/20). PCGS# 82256

1862 Cent, Attractive PR66 Copper-Nickel Type Coin





3505 1862 PR66 PCGS. Delicate peach-yellow and lilac hues reside beneath the medium tan-gold patina of this Premium Gem proof 1862 Indian cent. The design elements are fully struck, and neither side exhibits carbon spotting. An ideal date for representing the copper-nickel type in proof format. Population: 29 in 66 (3 in 66+), 1 finer; 27 in 66 (3 in 66+) Cameo, 5 finer; 2 in 66 Deep Cameo, 0 finer (1/20).

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 229C, PCGS# 2259

1868 Cent, PR66 Red and Brown Much Red Remains





3506 1868 PR66 Red and Brown PCGS. The flashy fields exhibit considerable remaining mint-red color and deliver noticeable contrast against the partly frosted devices of this Premium Gem proof cent. Copper-orange and violet accents are also present. Tiny carbon specks appear mainly on the obverse. Population: 13 in 66 (1 in 66+) Red and Brown, 0 finer in this category (1/20). NGC ID# 229L, PCGS# 2292

1878 Cent, PR66+ Red Flashy, Reflective Fields





3507 1878 PR66+ Red PCGS. This was the first year that official production figures were kept for minor proof coinage. Indian cent output in this format totaled 2,350 pieces in 1878. The flashy fireorange surfaces of this Premium Gem feature reflective fields and noticeable frost over the reverse devices, creating a partial cameo effect. Population: 10 in 66 (1 in 66+) Red, 1 finer in this category (12/19). NGC ID# 229X, PCGS# 2323

1888 Cent, PR66 Red Conditionally Rare Proof





3508 1888 PR66 Red PCGS. The 1888 proof is rarely seen this fine with full Red color. This piece displays uniform tan-orange patina over deeply mirrored fields and sharp, satiny devices. No carbon spotting distracts the viewer, and eye appeal is outstanding. Population: 4 in 66 Red, 0 finer; 2 in 66 Red Cameo, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22AA, PCGS# 2353

1894 Indian Cent, PR66 Red Cameo Only One Finer Cameo Proof





Premium Gem has rich golden-tan and apricot-brown colors, covering fully detailed devices and pristine surfaces. This example represents a delightful marriage of beauty and technical merit. Population: 2 in PR66 Red Cameo, 1 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 22AG, PCGS# 82371

LINCOLN CENTS

1909 VDB Cent, MS66 Red FS-1101, Doubled Die Obverse





3510 1909 VDB Doubled Die Obverse, FS-1101, MS66 Red PCGS. CAC. Strong doubling is most evident on RTY and the date. Each side enjoys orange and copper-gold color and shimmering mint luster over smooth, unabraded surfaces. Fully struck with one mark on Lincoln's shoulder. Population: 5 in 66 (1 in 66+) Red, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 4JR9, PCGS# 37633 Base PCGS# 82425

1909-S VDB Cent, MS64 Red Attractive CAC-Approved Example





3511 1909-S VDB MS64 Red PCGS. CAC. Ex: Dr. Charles Nelson Collection. Strike sharpness and luster are both outstanding on this piece, yielding mainly tan-gold and orange coloration but with tinges of more reddish-amber hues in the reverse fields. Luster has a more shimmering effect than true cartwheel bands, which on this coin is quite attractive. The surfaces appear finer than the stated grade to the unaided eye, although a loupe, when viewed at certain angles, can detect faint hairlines in the fields that prevent Gem classification from PCGS. NGC ID# 22B2, PCGS# 2428

1909-S VDB Cent, MS66 Red Highly Attractive





3512 1909-S VDB MS66 Red PCGS. The 1909-S VDB is the most famous of all Lincoln cent issues, and is indeed one of the most popular coins in all of American numismatics. The demand for this piece is incredible, not only among Lincoln cent collectors, but also from those simply fascinated with the issue.

This fully Red Premium Gem displays yellowish-green color laced with whispers of reddish-orange. The design elements are sharply struck, including excellent definition on the bow tie, date, mintmark, VDB, and lines and grains in the wheat stalks. Lustrous surfaces have been well cared for and are free of mentionable contacts or carbon. PCGS has graded only 15 Red coins higher (1/20). Ex: Orlando FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2004), lot 2016; Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/5/2009), lot 2107; Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2014), lot 5522. NGC ID# 22B2, PCGS#

1914-D Lincoln Cent, MS64 Red Elusive With Full Brilliance





3513 1914-D MS64 Red PCGS. The pinkish-red coloration, often seen on examples of this date, is well within the confines of the Red designation, and a Gem grade is precluded only by some trivial flecks that appear under a loupe. Both sides are otherwise distraction-free. A nice piece that would fit well into a Gem Red set.

Ex: FÜN Signature (Heritage, 1/2008), lot 466; ANA Signature (Heritage, 3/2011), lot 3115.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 22BH, PCGS# 2473

1915-D Cent, MS66+ Red Underrated at This Level





3514 1915-D MS66+ Red PCGS. The low-mintage 1914-D rightfully garners more attention, but the 1915-D is only slightly more available in the highest levels of Mint State. This MS66+ Red example is worthy of inclusion in the finest Registry Set. Finely textured and satiny surfaces are rich in copper-orange color. There are four or five carbon spots of note, but both sides are impeccably preserved and razor-sharp. Population: 44 in 66 (8 in 66+) Red, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22BL, PCGS# 2482

1919-D Lincoln Cent, MS66 Red Well-Preserved and Lustrous





3515 1919-D MS66 Red PCGS. From a mintage of more than 57 million pieces, the 1919-D Lincoln cent is an elusive issue at the MS66 grade level and finer coins are virtually unobtainable. This delightful Premium Gem exhibits well-detailed design elements and virtually flawless original red surfaces, with vibrant mint luster and outstanding eye appeal. Population: 19 in 66 (6 in 66+) Red, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22BZ, PCGS# 2518

3516 1922 No D, Strong Reverse, FS-401, XF45 NGC. Die Pair 2. An impressive medium brown example of this key *Guide Book* variety. Small marks are present but are of little consequence. The reverse is sharply defined, as is the diagnostic second 2 in the date. The obverse is considerably softer than the reverse due to the worn, lapped nature of the die, which produced the No D variety. This is the only date of the Lincoln series without a Philadelphia contribution. Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2007), lot 257; Dallas Signature (Heritage, 11/2007), lot 154. NGC ID# 22C9, PCGS# 37676 Base PCGS# 3285

1922 No D Cent, CAC-Approved AU55 FS-401, Strong Reverse





3517 1922 No D, Strong Reverse, FS-401, AU55 PCGS. CAC. Die Pair 2, showing a sharp second 2 in the date and strong reverse. Smooth chocolate-brown surfaces retain hints of satin luster in the fields, with little wear across the devices. Few examples of this *Guide Book* variety carry CAC endorsement, making this piece effectively rare in this grade for the collector seeking a coin with CAC approval. Eye appeal is indeed outstanding for the grade. NGC ID# 22C9, PCGS# 37676 Base PCGS# 3285

1922 No D Cent, AU58 Strong Reverse, FS-401, Die Pair 2





3518 1922 No D, Strong Reverse, FS-401, AU58 NGC. Die Pair 2. The 1922 No D cent is a challenging coin to locate in About Uncirculated grades, with the vast majority of known pieces in heavily or well-worn condition. The reverse is extra-sharp and free of die wear on this near-Mint example. The surfaces retain wealth of original mint gloss around the devices, and each side displays attractive, deep chocolate-brown color. The only marks needing individual mention are a few short nicks on Lincoln's forehead and another near the rim below 22 in the date. NGC ID# 22C9, PCGS# 37676 Base PCGS# 3285

1925-D Cent, MS65 Red Nearly Uncollectible in Higher Grades





3519 1925-D MS65 Red PCGS. The 1925-D (22.5 million coins struck) is plentiful in lower grades and in other color categories. It poses a challenge at this level and becomes nearly uncollectible in MS66 Red. The issue is also known for its soft, mushy strike. Definition is characteristic on this Gem, but the satiny orange-gold surfaces are far more attractive and better-preserved than usual. Population: 93 in 65 (10 in 65+) Red, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22CG, PCGS# 2563

1925-D Cent, MS65+ Red Attractive Original Mint Luster





3520 1925-D MS65+ Red PCGS. Available in lower grades, the 1925-D Lincoln cent is conditionally scarce in Gem Red, and finer Red pieces are downright rare. This piece is Plus graded, an attribute that sets it apart from the majority of its peers. Although some die erosion is evident in the fields, the strike is generally strong, just a little soft on the finest details of the portrait and wheat ears. Vibrant copper-orange luster is original, as attested to by the faint traces of violet and olive that accent Lincoln's portrait. Population: 92 in 65 (9 in 65+) Red, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22CG, PCGS# 2563

1931 Lincoln Cent, MS67+ Red Tied for Finest Certified





3521 1931 MS67+ Red NGC. The 1931 Lincoln cent claims a mintage of 19 million pieces, but few survivors can match the quality and eye appeal of this Plus-graded Superb Gem, and no coins have been certified finer by either of the leading grading services (12/19). The design elements are well-detailed and the impeccably preserved original red surfaces are lustrous and appealing. Census: 11 in 67 (2 in 67+) Red, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 22D2, PCGS# 2614

1934-D Cent, MS67+ Red Among the Finest at Both Services





3522 1934-D MS67+ Red PCGS. This top-graded Registry coin exhibits areas of pale blue and green color, complementing the coppery-orange hue overall. Both sides are satiny and fully struck. A bit of chatter on the shoulder and on the O in ONE, and a single hit on the lower right corner of the E in CENT are the only visible, albeit minor, imperfections. Population: 54 in 67 (7 in 67+) Red, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 22DA, PCGS# 2638

1936 Cent, MS66+ Red Doubled Die Obverse, FS-102





3523 1936 Doubled Die Obverse, FS-102, MS66+ Red PCGS. CAC. The broken upright on the R in LIBERTY distinguishes FS-102 from the two other major 1936 doubled die varieties. The date is prominently die doubled on FS-102, unlike FS-103. This is a gorgeous copper-orange Premium Gem with surprisingly little indication of either contact or carbon. Population: 14 in 66 (4 in 66+) Red, 0 finer. CAC: 5 in 66, 0 finer (1/20). Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 7-8/2008), lot 1217; Jack Lee Estate Collection / Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2009), lot 517. PCGS# 37753 Base PCGS# 92650

1941 FS-101 Cent, MS66+ Red Doubled Die Obverse





3524 1941 Doubled Die Obverse, FS-101, MS66+ Red PCGS. CAC. Die doubling is strongest on LIBERTY and the date, but it also shows on the motto. Although FS-101 remains unlisted in the *Guide Book*, this variety has been known to collectors and sought-after for decades. Shimmering luster radiates from clean coppergold surfaces. Lincoln's beard and the O in ONE are a bit soft, but the lines on the wheat stalks are crisp. Among the finest 1941 Doubled Die Obverse cents at PCGS, including all varieties (1/20). NGC ID# 22DW, PCGS# 37780 Base PCGS# 92695

1942-S Cent, MS68 Red Top-of-the-Line Registry Coin





3525 1942-S MS68 Red PCGS. A common date, even in certified Superb Gem condition, the 1942-S Lincoln cent is nonetheless a condition rarity as fine as MS68 Red. In this grade, PCGS lists only five coins, which represent the finest 1942-S cents known. These pieces are important for high-ranking Registry Sets. The present displays a sharp strike and softly frosted fire-orange luster. Struck from fresh dies with no obvious carbon spotting. A virtually flawless coin. Population: 5 in 68 Red, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22E3, PCGS# 2710

1943-S Lincoln Cent, MS68 CAC Endorsed, Wartime Composition





3526 1943-S MS68 PCGS. CAC. The U.S. Mint struck cents on zinc-coated steel planchets in 1943 to preserve much-needed copper for the war effort. This spectacular MS68 example exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout and the impeccably preserved brilliant surfaces display vibrant mint luster on both sides. Overall eye appeal is terrific. PCGS has certified 2 in 68+, with none numerically finer. CAC: 58 in 68, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22E8, PCGS# 2717

3527 1944-D/S FS-511 MS65+ Red PCGS. CAC. The unmistakable upper arc of an S is visible above the primary D mintmark on this *Guide Book* variety. The present example is a high-end Gem, worthy of consideration for Registry Sets. Satiny copper-orange luster and bold devices produce pleasing eye appeal. A few faint flecks are unobtrusive. Population (FS-511): 42 in 65 (3 in 65+) Red, 17 finer. CAC: 5 in 65, 13 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2734, PCGS# 37834 Base PCGS# 2728

1953 Cent, MS67 Red Top-Grade CAC Registry Coin





3528 1953 MS67 Red PCGS. CAC. A conditionally scarce Registry-grade example of this later Wheat cent issue, showing lovely copper-red, orange, and rose-gold hues across well-struck surfaces. Neither side has notable abrasions or carbon. This is among the finest 1953 cents certified, and it is one of fewer than a dozen pieces in this grade with CAC endorsement. Population: 31 in 67 (1 in 67+) Red, 0 finer. CAC: 10 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22LD, PCGS# 2806

1955 Cent, MS64 Red and Brown Doubled Die Obverse, FS-101





3529 1955 Doubled Die Obverse, FS-101, MS64 Red and Brown PCGS. A lovely array of copper-orange, red, violet, burgundy, and olive hues adorns each side of this near-Gem Red and Brown coin, with no significant abrasions present. Luster is satiny and luminous, and strike sharpness is pleasing. This is the most famous Lincoln cent variety, and it is one of the most important doubled dies in 20th century coinage.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 22FG, PCGS# 37911 Base PCGS# 2826

1970-S Large Date Cent, MS65 Red and Brown FS-101, Doubled Die Obverse





3530 1970-S Large Date, Doubled Die Obverse, FS-101, MS65 Red and Brown NGC. Prominent die doubling is visible on all obverse lettering, including the date on this *Guide Book* variety. This variety does not get the publicity of the 1955 and 1969-S doubled dies, although it is nearly as widely doubled and is seldom seen in any grade. The present Gem Red and Brown example is mainly Red, although wisps of burgundy toning prevent full Red classification from NGC. There is a lone mark in the left obverse field but no obvious carbon spots. NGC ID# 22GN, PCGS# 37998 Base PCGS# 2938

PROOF LINCOLN CENTS

1913 Cent, PR67 Red and Brown Beautiful Color





3531 1913 PR67 Red and Brown PCGS. CAC. The obverse of this finely textured Superb Gem exhibits fiery orange luster with lovely blue and violet toning. The elegant reverse displays deep mint red and emerald-green undertones beneath golden toning. This is an extremely attractive example that will make a nice addition to an advanced Lincoln cent collection. Population: 12 in 67 (3 in 67+) Red and Brown, 0 finer. CAC: 7 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22KW, PCGS# 3316

1990 No S Cent, PR69 Red Ultra Cameo Modern Rarity





3532 1990 No S, FS-101, PR69 Red Ultra Cameo NGC. There have been several proof issues in the past few decades that have accidentally omitted the S mintmark on a limited number of coins. The mistake is usually caught quickly and examples are consequently very scarce. Impressive deeply mirrored fields show spectacular cameo contrast against the frosted devices. A fully struck and pristine specimen. NGC ID# 274B, PCGS# 408239 Base PCGS# 93506

THREE CENT SILVER

1872 Three Cent Silver, MS61 Attractive, Reflective Fields





3533 1872 MS61 PCGS. From a mintage of only 1,000 pieces, the 1872 three cent silver issue is scarce in all grades. Uncirculated coins are rarely seen. This piece offers an accessible entry point into the Mint State category, being among the lower-grade 1872 three cent silvers to achieve Mint State classification. For the grade, it is quite attractive, producing prooflike fields and only light, unobtrusive contact marks. Sea-green and lilac toning occupies the margins. Population: 1 in 61, 34 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22ZN, PCGS# 3693

PROOF THREE CENT SILVER

1858 Three Cent Silver, PR64 Attractive Type Two Proof





3534 1858 PR64 PCGS. The familiar glimmers of reflectivity in the fields confirm the proof status of this final-year Type Two three cent silver piece. The 1858 is arguably the most collectible proof Type Two issue, although examples are nonetheless scarce in all grades with an estimated survivorship of just 100 or so pieces. This piece is sharply struck, although some excessive die polishing is evident along portions of the star border. Elements of sea-green and lilac toning grace each, producing strong visual appeal. NGC ID# 27C5, PCGS# 3705

THREE CENT NICKEL

1885 Three Cent Nickel, MS62 Only 1,000 Coins Struck





3535 1885 MS62 PCGS. An attractive lower-Mint State example of this low-mintage three cent nickel issue, showing dusky olive-gold toning over surprisingly unabraded surfaces. Luster is slightly subdued, which likely contributes to the PCGS numeric designation. Strike sharpness is excellent in the centers, but weakness occurs around portions of the border dentils. Population: 2 in 62, 56 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 275G, PCGS# 3753

PROOF THREE CENT NICKELS

1869 Three Cent Nickel, PR67 Ultra Cameo Rare Contrasted Proof





3536 1869 PR67 Ultra Cameo NGC. The early three cent nickel pieces are rarely encountered with field-to-device contrast, especially as strong as it is seen on this Superb Gem Ultra Cameo proof. This piece has brilliant light gray surfaces with fully mirrored fields and highly lustrous, sharply detailed devices. A solitary spot in the left obverse field with assist in tracking the provenance. Census: 6 in 67 Ultra Cameo (1 in 67★), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 275P, PCGS# 93765

1870 Three Cent Nickel, PR67 Registry Set Essential





3537 1870 PR67 PCGS. The impeccably preserved surfaces of this spectacular Superb Gem proof display delicate highlights of pale gold and cerulean-blue toning on both sides. The design elements were strongly impressed, but the wreath shows some minor loss of detail, due to lapping. Deeply reflective fields shine through the patina. Population: 1 in 67, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 275R, PCGS# 3766

1872 Three Cent Nickel, PR66 CAC Approved Deep Cameo Example





3538 1872 PR66 Deep Cameo PCGS. CAC. Despite the estimated mintage of 950 pieces, the proof 1872 three cent nickel is a rare issue in high grade, with Deep Cameo surfaces. This delightful Premium Gem exhibits sharply detailed, richly frosted design elements that contrast dramatically with the deeply mirrored fields. The CAC sticker confirms the quality and eye appeal of this exceptional specimen. Population: 3 in 66 (1 in 66+) Deep Cameo, 0 finer. CAC: 3 in 66, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 275T, PCGS# 93768

3539 1877 PR64 PCGS. CAC. The three cent nickel was only struck in proof format in 1877, with a mintage of just 900 coins. Examples are often available today due to the issue being well-saved by contemporary collectors, although few pieces earn CAC endorsement in each grade. This near-Gem is one of those pieces. It displays reflective fields and sharp detail, with light golden toning overall. Eye appeal is excellent for the grade.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 275X, PCGS# 3773

1877 Three Cent Nickel, PR65 Low-Mintage, Proof-Only Year





3540 1877 PR65 PCGS. CAC. This proof-only issue is necessary and key date for completion of this interesting, odd-denomination series. Around 900 proofs were struck. This example is moderately reflective with pale ice-blue toning over each side. A few contact marks and specks of carbon on the obverse are all that limit the grade. NGC ID# 275X, PCGS# 3773

Proof-Only 1878 Three Cent Nickel PR66 Ultra Cameo





3541 1878 PR66 Ultra Cameo NGC. The mintage of the proof-only 1878 exceeds that of preceding proof dates of the series, likely due to the advent of the Morgan dollar. Proofs without significant white-on-black contrast can be found with minimal effort, but Ultra Cameo specimens are surprisingly rare. As of (1/21), NGC has certified just four coins as such, and they are under strong demand due to their exceptional eye appeal, comparable with modern proofs. This exquisite Premium Gem displays a hint of tan toning across unmarked and well-impressed surfaces. NGC ID# 275Y, PCGS# 93774

SHIELD NICKELS

1868 Nickel, MS67 Among the Five Finest Examples





3542 1868 MS67 NGC. Fletcher IIa Reverse. Five of the 28.8 million 1868 nickels struck have qualified for this esteemed grade level at NGC and PCGS combined, with none numerically finer. This Superb Gem has a slightly repunched date, most evident on 18. The obverse is better-defined than the reverse, which shows softness on the stars, but both sides are uniformly clean and satiny. Nickel-gray surfaces exhibit pastel-gold accents. A terrific Registry opportunity. Census: 3 in 67 (1 in 67 ★), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22P2, PCGS# 3795

1880 Shield Nickel, AU58 Premier Key Date





3543 1880 AU58 ANACS. With only 16,000 coins minted, the 1880 is the premier circulation-strike issue in the Shield nickel series. This near-Mint example grades about 20 points higher than the typical 1880. Every element of the design, from the olive leaves to the date to the stars, is needle-sharp and practically unworn. Stonegray surfaces show a few marks on the shield and in the reverse field. Housed in a small sized holder. NGC ID# 276E, PCGS# 3810

1883/2 Shield Nickel, MS64 FS-301, Guide Book Overdate





3544 1883/2 FS-301 MS64 NGC. The Cherrypickers' Guide (sixth edition) calls this "the most visible and desirable of the overdate varieties" for the year. The remnants of an underdigit 2 appear left of the 3 in the date. This satiny Choice Uncirculated example is totally brilliant with fine die polish lines evident within the shield. The olive leaves and stars are well-struck. Lightly cracked as usual with minimal abrasions. Census: 1 in 64, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22PD, PCGS# 38416 Base PCGS# 3814

PROOF SHIELD NICKELS

1877 Shield Nickel, PR66+ CAC Approval, Sharp Strike





3545 1877 PR66+ PCGS. CAC. This proof-only issue is a major rarity at the Superb Gem grade level, making attractive, high-end Premium Gems such as this CAC-approved coin among the finest pieces typically available to collectors. Delicate iridescence accents the nickel-gray surfaces, and the design elements are fully struck. Population: 47 in 66 (2 in 66+), 3 finer; 51 in 66 (10 in 66+) Cameo, 11 finer; 3 in 66 (1 in 66+) Deep Cameo, 0 finer. CAC: 12 in 66, 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 276U, PCGS# 3831

1877 Shield Nickel, PR66 Cameo Proof-Only Key





3546 1877 PR66 Cameo NGC. The 1877 boasts the lowest mintage (510+ pieces) in the entire 1866-1883 Shield Nickel series, all being struck in proof format. This Premium Gem specimen is tinted in soft golden hues and combines subtly frosted devices with mirrored fields to present a noticeable, if not stark, cameo finish. Census: 64 in 66 Cameo (3 in 66+, 5 in 66★), 6 finer (12/19). Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2005), lot 5721. NGC ID# 276U, PCGS# 83831

1880 Shield Nickel, PR65 Ultra Cameo One of Just Three Ultra Cameos at NGC





3547 1880 PR65 Ultra Cameo NGC. One of just three Ultra Cameo reported at NGC, earning high marks for eye appeal with brilliant, starkly contrasted surfaces and sharp, frosty devices. PCGS has seen only one additional Deep Cameo coin, graded PR64. An outstanding Registry or type coin. Census: 2 in 65 Ultra Cameo (1 in 65+), 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 276W, PCGS# 93835

1882 Shield Nickel, PR67+ Cameo Well-Contrasted Registry Coin





3548 1882 PR67+ Cameo PCGS. CAC. The mirrored fields and sharp, frosted devices of this high-end Superb Gem display outstanding preservation and eye appeal, aided by appreciable contrast and a complete lack of toning. The 1882 proof is rarely offered this fine with cameo contrast. Population: 27 in 67 (1 in 67+) Cameo, 1 finer; 4 in 67 (1 in 67+) Deep Cameo, 0 finer. CAC: 12 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 5EBF, PCGS# 83837

LIBERTY NICKELS

1885 Liberty Nickel, MS63 Advanced Die State





3549 1885 MS63 PCGS. A well-defined Select Uncirculated example of the key date, showing satiny gold-tinted luster and minimal abrasions. Both sides have extensive die cracks around the peripheries, including some small die chips near the ED S in UNITED STATES. There is a tiny planchet lamination on the rim above the first T in STATES. A sought-after issue, in pleasing condition for the grade.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 2773, PCGS# 3846

1899 Nickel, MS67 Among the Finest at Both Services





3550 1899 MS67 PCGS. Surprisingly few 1899 Liberty nickels exist in Superb Gem condition given the issue's massive production of more than 26 million coins. Satiny surfaces are mostly nickel-gray with dusky golden elements on each side. The stars, hair curls, and wreath elements, including the left ear of corn, are pinpoint-sharp. Population: 11 in 67 (1 in 67+), 0 finer (11/19). NGC ID# 22PR, PCGS# 3860

PROOF LIBERTY NICKELS

1895 Liberty Nickel, PR66 Cameo CAC Approval, Registry Set Quality





3551 1895 PR66 Cameo PCGS. CAC. The devices are satiny on this coin rather than frosty, although strong cameo contrast is still present on both sides. Strike sharpness lacks nothing, and the preservation is outstanding. The 1895 proof is elusive in any Cameo grade, and PCGS has only seen one coin that qualified as a Deep Cameo. Population: 13 in 66 Cameo, 4 finer; 1 in 66 (1 in 66+) Deep Cameo, 0 finer. CAC: 11 in 66, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2785, PCGS# 83893

1908 Nickel, PR67 Cameo Subtle Amber-Gold Toning





3552 1908 PR67 Cameo PCGS. The proof 1908 Liberty nickel is scarce in all Cameo grades and is rarely seen at the Superb Gem level. This piece exhibits razor-sharp, satiny design elements rising above mirrored, golden-toned fields. A lack of any marks or disruptive hairlines confirms the lofty grade. Population: 8 in 67 (2 in 67+) Cameo, 1 finer (1/20).

Ex: New York Signature (Heritage, 10-11/2015), lot 3102. NGC ID# 278J, PCGS# 83906

BUFFALO NICKELS

1913 Type One Nickel, MS68 Among the Finest Certified Examples





3553 1913 Type One MS68 PCGS. This well-saved first and single-year type features the denomination on a raised area of the design. The satiny surfaces of this Superb Gem are highly lustrous with pale accents of gold, mint-green, and powder-blue. Typical incompleteness occurs on the usual strike-challenged portions of the Fraser design. Nearly flawless and struck from slightly rotated dies. Population: 31 in 68 (2 in 68+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22PW, PCGS# 3915

1913 Type One Buffalo Nickel Glistening, Pastel-Toned MS68





3554 1913 Type One MS68 NGC. The 1913 Type One Buffalo nickel is always in great demand as a first-year-of-issue date and a one-year type coin. However, few collectors have an opportunity to acquire an example graded as fine as MS68. This piece glistens with luminous original mint luster, produced by lightly worn dies that leave areas of metal flowlines in the fields. Delicate pastel toning in shades of gold and lilac adorn each side, promoting incredible visual appeal. Only a touch of strike softness is noted in the centers. The perfect type coin or perhaps the perfect coin for the collector assembling a Registry Set of Buffalo nickels. Census: 32 in 68 (2 in 68+, 3 in 68+★), 0 finer (1/20). Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 4-5/2009), lot 2122. NGC ID# 22PW, PCGS# 3915

1915-D Nickel, MS66 Highest Collectible Grade





3555 1915-D MS66 PCGS. This Denver nickel is well-struck, if not fully defined. The date, braid, and reverse legends are strong, while LIBERTY and the bison's head show incompleteness. Satiny, virtually unabraded surfaces exhibit delicate glints of complementary golden color. There are only a handful of higher-graded 1915-D nickels out there, and they are tightly held. Population: 57 in 66 (8 in 66+), 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22R8, PCGS# 3928

1916 Nickel, MS67+ Among Finest Certified





3556 1916 MS67+ NGC. The 1916 is plentiful in most Mint State grades, but becomes a significant conditional rarity as a Superb Gem. As of (1/20), NGC has certified only two pieces as MS67+, and just a single coin finer. This lustrous and lightly toned high-grade representative has exemplary preservation and a nice strike. The surfaces have a moderate orange-peel texture, as coined from long-in-use dies. NGC ID# 22RA, PCGS# 3930

1916 FS-101 Nickel, Fine 12 Iconic Doubled Die Obverse Variety





3557 1916 Doubled Die Obverse, FS-101, Fine 12 PCGS. The 1916 Double Die Obverse nickel is one of the most iconic, sought-after varieties in the series. It is also among the scarcest. Although this coin saw significant time in circulation, as did most pieces, die doubling remains clear with a broad spread on the date and feathers. Nickel-gray surfaces exhibit wisps of olive-gold patina on each side. NGC ID# 2TSS, PCGS# 145628 Base PCGS# 3931

1916-D Nickel, Lustrous MS66 Essentially Unavailable Any Finer





3558 1916-D MS66 PCGS. While the 1916-D is readily available in even Gem Uncirculated condition from a mintage exceeding 13.3 million pieces, it is scarce in Premium Gem or finer grades. Sharply struck examples are doubly scarce. This well-struck '16-D is displays intricate design details on both obverse and reverse. A faint golden tinge adds eye appeal to the warm, nickel-gray surfaces. Population: 39 in 66 (5 in 66+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22RB, PCGS# 3932

1916-S Buffalo Nickel, MS66 Rare Any Finer





3559 1916-S MS66 PCGS. From a substantial mintage of 11.8 million pieces, the 1916-S Buffalo nickel is a scarce issue in MS66 condition, and finer coins are rare. This spectacular Premium Gem exhibits well-detailed design elements, with just a touch of softness on the hair above the braid. The virtually pristine surfaces are lustrous and appealing, with subtle hints of pale gold and ice-blue toning. Population: 42 in 66 (3 in 66+), 6 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22RC, PCGS# 3933

3560 1917 MS65 PCGS. This delightful Gem Buffalo nickel exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout and the well-preserved surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides. Subtle highlights of greenish-gold and ice-blue toning enhance the outstanding eye appeal. Housed in a green label holder. NGC ID# 22RD, PCGS# 3934

1917 Nickel, Superb Gem Multicolor Border Patina





3561 1917 MS67 PCGS. Iridescent coral-red, powder-blue, and caramel-gold patina endows the peripheries of this early date Buffalo nickel. Both sides display vibrant luster and an absence of abrasion. The strike shows inexactness only on the tail and the hair above the braid. An aesthetic prize for the competitive Registry collector. Population: 26 in 67 (5 in 67+), 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22RD, PCGS# 3934

1919-D Nickel, Well-Struck Gem





3562 1919-D MS65 PCGS. This Denver Mint nickel is almost fully struck, the only exception being the tip of the bison's head. The rest of the coin is razor-sharp. Satin mint luster and golden patina grace smooth, well-preserved surfaces. The 1919-D nickel (8 million coins struck) is scarce at this level, and only 21 grading events are listed higher at PCGS (1/20). NGC ID# 22RM, PCGS#

3563 1919-S MS64 PCGS. Each side exhibits bold central detail with clash marks evident in the fields. The date, horn, and shoulder are notably strong, while LIBERTY, the denomination, and the mintmark lack full detail. This softly frosted near-Gem nickel is mainly brilliant with faint golden accents. Only 37 submissions are graded numerically finer at PCGS (1/20). NGC ID# 22RN, PCGS# 3943

1921 Nickel, MS67 Strongly Struck, Nicely Toned





3564 1921 MS67 PCGS. Although the surfaces reveal die fatigue, this 1921 nickel shows a sharp strike from properly spaced dies. The Superb Gem fields and devices are finely grained as a result, and a bold die crack extends from the rim above E in LIBERTY to the forehead. Mint luster glows softly around well-defined motifs. The bison's shoulder and head display sharp details, and the Indian's hair strands stand out boldly above the fully struck braid knot. Golden toning enhances the attractive, nickel-gray surfaces. Population: 43 in 67 (3 in 67+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22RT, PCGS# 3947

1921-S Buffalo Nickel, MS65 Challenging to Locate This Fine





3565 1921-S MS65 NGC. A better date overall, highly sought-after in Gem condition. This satiny example displays deep golden-orange and lilac toning over each side. No abrasions are evident, and central strike sharpness is outstanding. Under a loupe, a couple of radial die cracks are visible on the obverse at 8:30 and 12 o'clock, although the fields lack the heavy die erosion that is typically seen. An appealing example in a scarce grade. Census: 39 in 65 (2 in 65★), 6 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22RU, PCGS# 3948

1921-S Nickel, MS63 Two Feathers, FS-401





3566 1921-S Two Feathers, FS-401, MS63 PCGS. Obverse die polishing removed the innermost feather behind the Indian's neck. The date, braid, and LIBERTY are strong, as are the reverse legends, while a touch of softness occurs on the bison's head and shoulder. Delicate mint frost shimmers from each side. Wisps of golden color and blushes of powder-blue patina are also noted throughout this 1921-S Two Feathers nickel. Population (for the FS-401 variety): 2 in 63, 4 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 22RU, PCGS# 38452 Base PCGS# 3948

1923 Nickel, CAC-Approved MS67 Pastel-Toned Registry Candidate





3567 1923 MS67 PCGS. CAC. The finest 1923 Buffalo nickels typically available to collectors grade MS67, and these pieces are rare. PCGS and NGC each report only a single numerically finer specimen. This coin is one of the top five pieces certified with CAC endorsement. Delicate pastel toning displays cool blue and lilac hues across the interior, with warmer rose-gold color around the borders. Strike sharpness is outstanding, and the satin luster is unabraded. Population: 29 in 67 (2 in 67+), 1 finer. CAC: 5 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22RV, PCGS# 3949

1923-S Nickel, MS65+ High-End Branch Mint Coin





3568 1923-S MS65+ NGC. The 1923-S nickel (6.1 million coins) boasts an average certified grade between XF45 and AU50. This Plus-Graded Gem is a solid 15 to 20 point above average with delicate golden patina, although definition is typical — the result of worn dies. Softly lustrous and void of mentionable marks. Census: 41 in 65 (4 in 65+), 10 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22RW, PCGS# 3950

1925 Buffalo Nickel, MS67 Luminous, Virtually Flawless





3569 1925 MS67 PCGS. Delicate iridescence intermingles with warm champagne toning on each side of this virtually flawless Superb Gem. Close study of the surfaces fails to reveal a single mentionable flaw other than some characteristic strike softness on the bison's shoulder and the Indian's hair. The luster is silky-smooth, captivating the eye. Population: 27 in 67 (2 in 67+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22S2, PCGS# 3954

1926-D Nickel, Sharp MS66 Attractive, Few Are Finer





3570 1926-D MS66 PCGS. A glint of gold toning adds eye appeal to the glistening, ice-blue and lilac surfaces of this sharply struck 1926-D. Although the issue was not particularly well-produced, enough coins were struck (more than 5.6 million pieces) that a few high-grade, sharp examples survive. This vibrant and attractive '26-D is one of those, with mark-free surfaces and crisp definition throughout most of the usual trouble spots. Population: 31 in 66 (5 in 66+), 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22S6, PCGS# 3958

1926-S Nickel, Satiny MS63 Clean Surfaces





3571 1926-S MS63 PCGS. Luster glistens on this satiny Mint State example, yielding a hint of champagne color across otherwise nickel-gray surfaces. This issue is famous for its often weak strike, which is seen here. Die erosion also affects the fields, where metal flowlines are evident. The strike contributes to the otherwise conservative numeric grade PCGS. NGC ID# 22S7, PCGS# 3959

1926-S Nickel, MS64 Strong Detail, Pastel Toning





3572 1926-S MS64 PCGS. Known for its conditional scarcity and generally substandard definition, this near-Gem 1926-S nickel presents collectors with a remarkable opportunity. It is both wonderfully preserved and strongly defined, including on the date, braid, horn, and shoulder. Each side glistens softly with shimmering mint luster. Delicate glints of peach-orange, lavender, pink, and powder-blue grace smooth surfaces. PCGS reports 17 finer submissions (12/19). NGC ID# 22S7, PCGS# 3959

1927-D Buffalo Nickel, MS65 Sought-After CAC Example





3573 1927-D MS65 PCGS. CAC. Strike sharpness is about average on this piece, although the satiny, champagne-tinted surfaces are remarkably attractive for the grade, earning CAC recognition. Minor die erosion in the fields is far less prominent than that seen on many examples of this poorly made Denver issue. The 1927-D is moderately elusive in MS65, and such coins are rare with a CAC green label. CAC: 23 in 65, 4 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 22S9, PCGS# 3961

1937-D Three-Legged Nickel, MS63 Important Guide Book Variety





3574 1937-D Three-Legged, FS-901, MS63 NGC. The bison's forward right leg is effaced on this variety, struck from eroded and heavily polished dies. Examples in MS63 are within the grasp of many collectors from a cost standpoint but still show considerable preservation. This example is satiny with light champagne toning. Central strike sharpness is a little soft, as usual, but eye appeal is pleasing for the grade. NGC ID# 22SX, PCGS# 38475 Base PCGS# 3982

1937-D Nickel, CAC-Approved MS64 Three-Legged Guide Book Variety





3575 1937-D Three-Legged, FS-901, MS64 PCGS. CAC. Perhaps the most impressive aspect of this Three-Legged nickel is the bright, satiny mint luster. It is particularly noticeable because the toning is so light, which allows the full flash of the sheen over each side. The strike is particularly strong for the issue also, and there are minimal abrasions present.

Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2012), lot 3671.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 22SX, PCGS# 38475
Base PCGS# 3982

1938-D/S Buffalo Nickel, MS68 Spectacular Multicolor Toning





3576 1938-D/S FS-511 MS68 NGC. A popular *Cherrypickers*' variety, available in all grades but rarely as Superb as this impressive MS68 example. Tawny-gold toning merges with rainbow hues on both sides, with lime-green, red-gold, and lilac colors providing exceptional eye appeal. The dual mintmark is multiple-punched D/D/D/S with an S initially impressed into the die, then subsequent D punches applied. This is a sharply struck and essentially unimprovable example. Census: 33 in 68 (8 in 68 ★, 1 in 68+, 1 in 68+, 273, PCGS# 38476 Base PCGS# 3985

PROOF BUFFALO NICKELS

1913 Buffalo Nickel, PR67 Splendid Type Two Matte Proof





3577 1913 Type Two PR67 PCGS. Because of their similarity to circulation strikes in texture and visual character, Superb Gem 1913 proofs for both Type One and Type Two designs are often preferred for high-grade circulation strike sets as well as strictly for proof representation. This Superb Gem Type Two proof could easily perform such double duty, with exquisite, finely grained surfaces and a ringing full strike. Shades of lavender, rose, gold, and paleblue decorate the motifs. Population: 82 in 67 (10 in 67+), 11 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 278S, PCGS# 3990

1914 Nickel, PR67 Well Struck, Original Toning





3578 1914 PR67 NGC. The insert is autographed by Ken Bressett, veteran editor of the *Guide Book*. Light golden-brown and ice-blue toning enriches both sides of this well-struck and unblemished Superb Gem. The surfaces display the fine-grained texture characteristic of matte proofs. Minor strike doubling is apparent on the chin and highest feathertip. Just 1,275 proofs were issued. NGC ID# 278T, PCGS# 3991

1915 Nickel, Sharp PR67+ Exceptional Quality





3579 1915 PR67+ NGC. Incredible sharpness and finely textured satin luster deliver all the eye appeal expected of a Superb Gem matte proof Buffalo nickel. Traces of light champagne toning grace each side, but the majority of the interiors are essentially brilliant. The Plus designation is what sets this piece apart from its peers. While dozens of 1915 proofs are known in the 67 grade, just three are Plus-graded at that level at NGC. Census: 38 in 67 (3 in 67+, 1 in 67★), 6 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 278U, PCGS# 3992

1937 Buffalo Nickel, Colorful PR68 High-End Brilliant Proof Type Coin





3580 1937 PR68 PCGS. Colorful lavender, green, gold, and blue toning covers each side of this near-perfect proof, complementing incredible depth of mirroring in the fields and razor-sharp definition on the devices. The 1937 is an available date, but in Superb Gem condition it becomes challenging to locate. Only a couple of pieces are known finer than this one. Population: 49 in 68 (2 in 68+), 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 278Z, PCGS# 3996

1937 Nickel, PR68 End of the Trail for Proofs





3581 1937 PR68 NGC. The NGC insert is autographed by former *Guide Book* editor Ken Bressett. Although business strikes were coined in Denver during 1938, 1937 was the final year of proof Buffalo nickel production. Mintages were tiny by modern proof standards, a mere 5,769 pieces. Since none have been certified by NGC as PR69 or better, the present specimen is about as nice as can be obtained. The brilliant surfaces are pristine and exhibit glassy fields. The centers show slight incompleteness customary for the type. Census: 62 in 68 (1 in 68+, 5 in 68★), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID± 278Z, PCGS# 3996

JEFFERSON NICKELS

1939-S Reverse of 1940 Nickel MS67 Full Steps, Transitional Issue





3582 1939-S Reverse of 1940 MS67 Full Steps PCGS. The Reverse of 1940 is distinguished from the Reverse of 1938 by the straight and well-delineated as opposed to wavy steps. This elusive transitional issue is always popular with specialist collectors. Reddishgold accents and soft mint frost grace each side. The steps are exceptionally sharp without any areas of blending. Population: 3 in 67 Full Steps, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 22TC, PCGS# 894006

3583 1942-D D Over Horizontal D, FS-501, MS64 PCGS. Ex: Compradore Collection. The Cherrypickers' Guide notes the 1942-D over Horizontal D "is the rarest of the major Jefferson nickel varieties in Mint State." This attractive Choice example exhibits well-detailed design elements and well-preserved, lustrous surfaces, under shades of lavender-gray and champagne toning. The remnants of an undertype horizontal D are evident beneath the primary mintmark. Population: 7 in 64 (1 in 64+), 11 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 22TL, PCGS# 38495 Base PCGS# 4015

1946-S Jefferson Nickel, MS67 Registry Grade Full Steps Example





3584 1946-S MS67 Full Steps PCGS. From a relatively small mintage of 13.5 million pieces, the 1946-S Jefferson nickel is extremely rare at the MS67 grade level, with the Full Steps designation. This delightful Superb Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout, with Full Steps definition on Monticello. The impeccably preserved lustrous surfaces show highlights of sea-green toning. Population: 5 in 67 Full Steps, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 22U4, PCGS# 84030

1957-D Nickel, MS66+ Full Steps Registry Set Contender





3585 1957-D MS66+ Full Steps PCGS. The 1957-D Jefferson Nickel claims a large mintage of more than 136 million pieces, but few survivors can match the quality and visual appeal of this Plusgraded Premium Gem. The design elements are sharply detailed throughout, with Full Steps definition on Monticello. The impeccably preserved surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster, with exceptional eye appeal. Population: 60 in 66 (12 in 66+) Full Steps, 2 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 22V3, PCGS# 84062

1963 Jefferson Nickel, MS67 Five Full Steps





3586 1963 MS67 Full Steps NGC. This spectacular Superb Gem Jefferson nickel exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout, with five steps fully defined on Monticello. The brilliant surfaces are impeccably preserved, with vibrant mint luster on both sides. Overall eye appeal is terrific. Census: 8 in 67 Five Full Steps, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22VE, PCGS# 84073

1970-S Nickel, MS66 Full Steps Impressively Sharp Registry Coin





3587 1970-S MS66 Full Steps PCGS. This San Francisco issue is scarce with Full Steps definition, and such coins are rarely seen in MS66. This is a candidate for Registry Set inclusion. Golden-toned luster is satiny and unabraded, and there is nothing lacking within the strike. Eye appeal is outstanding for the issue. Population: 8 in 66 Full Steps, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 22VT, PCGS# 84085

EARLY HALF DIMES

1794 Flowing Hair Half Dime, VF20 First-Year Issue, V-4, LM-4 Attractive, Problem-Free Surfaces, CAC





3588 1794 V-4, LM-4, R.4, VF20 PCGS. CAC. LM-4 is the most available 1794 Flowing Hair half dime variety, although the small mintage of just 7,756 pieces was struck from a total of four die pairs. The tiny half dime format fit the Mint's screw press well, and overall production quality was high. This is a splendid, problemfree VF example, with sharp definition for the assigned grade. Faint golden undertones add eye appeal to the smooth, bluish-gray surfaces. Housed in a PCGS rattler holder with CAC endorsement. NGC ID# 22ZT, PCGS# 38584 Base PCGS# 4250

1796 Draped Bust Half Dime, XF Details LIKERTY, V-1, LM-1





3589 1796 LIKERTY, V-1, LM-1, R.3 — Bent — PCGS Genuine. XF Details. The V-1, LM-1 LIKERTY variety is seen more often than the other variety for the date, but high-grade examples are still elusive. This coin exhibits some light wear on the design elements but much interior detail remains intact in Liberty's hair. The lightly abraded surfaces show some planchet adjustment marks on the obverse and traces of original mint luster remain in selected areas. A slight bend in the planchet is evident at 6 o'clock on the reverse. From The McDonald Family Collection.

BUST HALF DIME

1832 Capped Bust Half Dime, MS66+ V-9, LM-7, CAC Green Label





3590 1832 V-9, LM-7, R.2, MS66+ PCGS. CAC. A collectible variety, often represented when a high-grade example of this type coin issue is found. The 1832 Capped half dime is available through MS65 but becomes conditionally scarce in MS66. Higher-grade pieces are rare. This Plus-designated, CAC-endorsed Premium Gem displays a bold strike and satiny silver luster with no bothersome abrasions. Population (all varieties included): 58 in 66 (3 in 66+), 14 finer. CAC: 21 in 66, 11 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 232J, PCGS# 38669 Base PCGS# 4279

SEATED HALF DIMES

1837 Seated Liberty Half Dime, MS66 No Stars, Small Date





3591 1837 No Stars, Small Date (Flat Top 1) MS66 NGC. Attractively toned in natural shades of rose-gold, apple-green, and dove-gray. Sharply detailed and satiny with smooth fields and outstanding eye appeal. One method of distinguishing the Small Date from the Large Date is by examining the 8. The Small Date has a Block 8, unlike the Script 8 Large Date. Census: 4 in 66, 4 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 232M, PCGS# 4312

1840 Seated Half Dime, MS67 Attractive No Drapery Type Coin





3592 1840 No Drapery MS67 PCGS. A sharp, beautifully preserved Superb Gem example of the short-lived No Drapery type. Satiny luster shows no abrasions, although areas of cobalt-blue, orange-gold, and amber toning encompass the margins. Eye appeal is outstanding. Few examples are known this fine. Population: 16 in 67 (10 in 67+), 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 232U, PCGS# 4321

1855 Seated Liberty Half Dime, MS66 Popular Arrows Design Type





3593 1855 Arrows MS66 PCGS. A delightful Premium Gem representative of the short-lived Arrows design, which signified a weight change in the subsidiary silver coins. This impressive specimen exhibits well-detailed design elements and vibrant mint luster throughout. The impeccably preserved surfaces show some parallel die striations on the obverse, with subtle highlights of pale gold toning. Population: 23 in 66 (3 in 66+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2344, PCGS# 4360

3594 1856-O MS63 PCGS. The 1856-O Seated Liberty half dime is an elusive issue at the MS63 grade level. This impressive Select example is sharply detailed throughout, with lightly marked, lustrous surfaces that show a few hints of lavender-gray and pale gold toning. Population: 10 in 63, 16 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 233R, PCGS# 4364

EARLY DIMES

1796 JR-6 Dime, VF Details Perfect for Type Purposes





3595 1796 JR-6, R.3 — Environmental Damage — PCGS Genuine. VF Details. 1796 dimes are always in demand as the first year of the denomination, as well as for its status as the first of its two-year Small Eagle type. This 1796 JR-6 dime retains solid eye appeal and VF sharpness despite isolated areas of porosity and some minor corrosive build-up at LIBERTY. Elsewhere, pleasing grayish-blue patina lightens to silver-gray on the raised devices. Bold definition remains throughout the central elements. From The McDonald Family Collection.

1807 Draped Bust Dime, AU50 JR-1, Only Dies for the Date





3596 1807 JR-1, R.2, AU50 NGC. According to Mint records, a substantial mintage of 165,000 Draped Bust dimes was accomplished in 1807, with a single die variety known for the date. Mint officials knew the design would soon be changed over to the Capped Bust motif by John Reich and they tried to make this last pair of Draped Bust dies last as long as possible. The reverse die was actually used previously to strike quarter eagles in 1805 through 1807. As a result of the extended die use, all examples seen have weak obverse stars on the left and the E in E PLURIBUS UNUM is missing. This coin shows weak dentilation in many areas, but the central design elements were strongly impressed and most interior detail remains intact. Dramatic clash marks show in front of the bust. The lightly abraded surfaces display traces of original mint luster in sheltered areas. NGC ID# 236T, PCGS# 38770 Base PCGS# 4480

1807 JR-1 Dime, AU53 ★ Beautiful Final-Year Type Coin





3597 1807 JR-1, R.2, AU53 ★ NGC. A single set of dies was used to strike 165,000 dimes in 1807, representing the last coins in the Draped Bust, Heraldic Eagle series. The hardy reverse was also used in the production of four different quarter eagle varieties from 1805 to 1807. This well-preserved AU53 ★ example is beautifully toned with a rainbow reverse and a flashy lavender and gold obverse. The central devices are fully struck, if lightly worn, while the left obverse and entire reverse dentils are incomplete. NGC ID# 236T, PCGS# 38770 Base PCGS# 4480

BUST DIMES

3598 1822 JR-1, R.4, Good 6 PCGS. One set of dies coined 100,000 Capped Bust dimes in 1822. This key date is estimated to survive to the limited extent of 200 to 250 pieces. Like many examples, this one is well-worn with only outlines remaining, but the date and denomination are strong. The raised elements show stone-gray patina, while the fields are richly toned in ice-blue and sea-green hues.

From The McDonald Family Collection. NGC ID# 236Z, PCGS# 38801 Base PCGS# 4497

1827 JR-3 Dime, MS64 Excellent Type Candidate





3599 1827 Pointed Top 1, JR-3, R.1, MS64 PCGS. CAC. Pale gold and blue-green toning appear on the lustrous, ivory surfaces of this Choice Mint State Capped Bust dime. The design elements are well-detailed and only minor signs of contact are evident. This is an excellent candidate for a type collection. Population for all 1827 varieties: 67 in 64 (7 in 64+), 21 finer (7/19). NGC ID# 2375, PCGS# 38813 Base PCGS# 4504

1836 JR-2 Dime, Lustrous MS65 Attractively Toned





3600 1836 JR-2, R.2, MS65 PCGS. Delicate and attractive gold toning visits the obverse and reverse surfaces of this sharply defined JR-2 Gem, which exhibits frosty silver luster and sensational eye appeal. A faint die crack travels upward from the obverse border at 6 o'clock, bisecting the die. As always, the date shows obvious repunching at 836. Population (all varieties): 13 in 65 (1 in 65+), 6 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 237G, PCGS# 38889 Base PCGS# 4528

SEATED DIMES

1854-O Arrows Dime, MS66 Among the Finest at PCGS





3601 1854-O Arrows, F-109, R.3, MS66 PCGS. A popular Stars Obverse, Arrows issue for type collectors seeking to stray from the common Philadelphia coinage. The 1854-O is rare in Gem condition, and Premium Gems are especially so. This example displays mottled russet, olive, and golden toning, with satiny luster and sharp devices. Eye appeal is pleasing. Population: 3 in 66 (1 in 66+), 0 finer (1/20). PCGS# 538034 Base PCGS# 4606

3602 1856 Large Date, F-101, R.3, MS62 NGC. The remnants of the top of a misplaced 6 are evident to the right of the skirt pendant and a die line connects the tops of the letters DI in DIME, identifying the popular Fortin-101 variety. The design elements of this impressive MS62 specimen are well-detailed and small die chips are seen near stars 3 through 6. The lustrous surfaces are lightly marked for the grade. Census: 3 in 62, 3 finer (12/19). PCGS# 538072 Base PCGS# 4610

1858-O Seated Liberty Dime, MS64 Seldom Encountered Any Finer





3603 1858-O F-101, R.2, MS64 PCGS. The 1858-O Seated Liberty dime claims a mintage of 290,000 pieces, but the issue becomes difficult to locate in grades above the XF level. The 1858-O is only occasionally available in Mint State and MS64 examples are rare. This impressive Choice specimen exhibits well-detailed design elements and well-preserved, lustrous surfaces, under shades of steel-gray, lavender, and greenish-gold toning. Population: 4 in 64, 7 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 2392, PCGS# 538130 Base PCGS# 4617

1874 Arrows Dime, MS66 High-Grade Type Coin





3604 1874 Arrows, F-102, R.3, MS66 PCGS. The date is further left than on any other 1874 Arrows variety, and the first S in STATES is partial. Blushes of red-gold and violet patina color parts of the border. The rest of this Premium Gem remains frosty and brilliant. Notable strike softness occurs around the outer elements of the design. Population (all varieties): 20 in 66, 13 finer (1/20). PCGS# 538330 Base PCGS# 4668

1874-CC Arrows Dime, Good Details Key Branch Mint Issue





3605 1874-CC Arrows, F-101, R.4 — Cleaned — PCGS Genuine. Good Details. From a small mintage of 10,817 pieces, the 1874-CC is the key to the Seated Liberty dime series. This well-worn example shows the obverse design elements complete in outline and retains some interior detail intact. The letters in LIBERTY are still legible. The reverse exhibits more extensive wear, and much of the denomination has been effaced. The lightly abraded surfaces have an unnatural sheen that indicates a light cleaning in the past. From The McDonald Family Collection.

3606 1876-CC F-116a, R.4, MS65 NGC. Type One Reverse. A lustrous and essentially untoned Gem. Sharply struck from rusted dies. The DI in DIME is die doubled, probably from consecutive hubbing from Type Two and Type One working hubs. Census: 37 in 65, 24 finer (12/19).

Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 11/2006), lot 512. NGC ID# 5W5N, PCGS# 538508 Base PCGS# 4680

PROOF SEATED DIMES

1861 Dime, PR66+ Magnificent Multicolor Patina





3607 1861 Type Two, F-101, R.4, PR66+ PCGS. CAC. All 1861 proof dimes feature the Type Two Obverse with two shield lines above the E in LIBERTY. This magnificent Premium Gem is richly toned in rose, violet, yellow, sky-blue, and mint-green patina. Eye appeal is extraordinary, matching the technical quality. Population: 7 in 66 (2 in 66+), 1 finer in non-Cameo. CAC: 3 in 66, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23CK, PCGS# 539008 Base PCGS# 4754

1863 Seated Liberty Dime, PR66 Rare Cameo Example





3608 1863 F-101, R.4, PR66 Cameo PCGS. Only 460 proof Seated Liberty dimes were struck at the Philadelphia Mint in 1863 and few survivors can match the quality and eye appeal of this delightful Premium Gem. This coin exhibits sharply detailed design elements and deeply mirrored fields that contrast boldly with the frosty devices. The well-preserved brilliant surfaces show diagonal die lines in the reverse field and a tiny lintmark on the obverse, between Liberty's head and cap. Population: 10 in 66 (1 in 66+) Cameo, 1 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 23BS, PCGS# 539011 Base PCGS# 4756

1863 Dime, Toned PR67 Only 460 Proofs Struck





3609 1863 F-101, R.4, PR67 NGC. One of only 460 proofs, the 1863 date has the lowest proof mintage of all Legend Obverse dimes. Few specimens are as well-preserved as the piece offered here. NGC has certified only four other PR67 coins, and three pieces grade higher; PCGS has seen no 1863 Proofs above the PR66 level (1/20). This Superb Gem is sharply struck with golden-gray centers accented by cobalt-blue and lilac colors around the peripheries, especially on the obverse. The frosted design elements are sharply struck throughout, and offer significant contrast against the deeply mirrored fields. The surfaces show no mentionable marks. NGC ID# 23BS, PCGS# 539011 Base PCGS# 4756

1866 Dime, PR66 Cameo Low Total Mintage for the Year





3610 1866 PR66 Cameo PCGS. F-102, R.3. The date slopes upward. A pale layer of golden color with the faintest tinge of red fails to inhibit or minimize the stark Cameo contrast seen on each side. Watery fields exhibit few signs of contact. From a mintage of 725 proofs produced alongside a paltry total of 8,000 circulation strikes. Population (both proof varieties): 8 in 66 (1 in 66+) Cameo, 1 finer in this category (1/20). NGC ID# 23CP, PCGS# 84759

1879 Seated Liberty Dime, PR67+ Beautifully Toned, CAC Endorsed





3611 1879 F-102, R.3, PR67+ PCGS. CAC. A mildly contrasted and pleasantly reflective Superb Gem with two-track toning. The obverse displays gold-orange outer toning and a pale blue center, while the reverse is more subdued with peach and sky iridescence that appears at certain angles to the light. Population: 12 in 67 (1 in 67+), 0 finer; 7 in 67 (1 in 67+), 0 finer. CAC: 10 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 3/2013), lot 3314. PCGS# 539043 Base PCGS# 4776

BARBER DIMES

1896 Barber Dime, MS67 Registry Grade Example





3612 1896 MS67 PCGS. The 1896 Barber dime boasts an adequate mintage of more than 2 million pieces, but the issue is extremely elusive at the MS67 grade level, and no coins have been certified in higher numeric grades by either of the leading grading services (1/20). This spectacular Superb Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements and virtually flawless lustrous surfaces, with highlights of lavender, turquoise, and pale gold toning. Population: 4 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23DY, PCGS# 4809

1896-O Dime, MS64 Conditionally Scarce Semikey





3613 1896-O MS64 NGC. The semikey 1896-O (610,000 coins) is scarcer in high grades than its lower-mintage counterpart, the 1896-S. Indeed, it ranks among the most challenging Barber dimes in MS60 or higher. This satiny near-Gem exhibits dusky, minimally toned centers framed by cobalt-blue and gold around the obverse and speckled multicolored patina around the reverse. Both sides are impressively smooth with remarkable detail on the portrait and wreath elements. Census: 9 in 64, 11 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23DZ, PCGS# 4810

1902-O Dime, MS65 Attractive Peripheral Patina





3614 1902-O MS65 PCGS. The 1902-O is plentiful in well-worn grades, but AU examples are very scarce, and Gems are undeniably rare. This sharply struck representative displays apple-green, golden-brown, and lavender peripheral patina. The centers are primarily pearl-gray. The fields appear free from contact, and the portrait shows only delicate marks. Population: 13 in 65, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23EK, PCGS# 4828

3615 1904-S MS63 PCGS. The peripheries have speckles of russet and electric-blue patina, while the centers are nearly untoned. A slightly reflective example with a couple of minor abrasions on Liberty's nose, and a pleasing, unblemished reverse. Population: 22 in 63, 32 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 23ES, PCGS# 4834

1911 Dime, Strong MS67 Elegant Toning, CAC Approval





3616 1911 MS67 PCGS. CAC. Shades of crimson and deep goldenorange frame lightly toned, slightly dusky centers on this original Superb Gem dime. The right ear of corn is fully struck, and the rest of the coin shows similarly strong detail. Vibrant mint luster. Population: 25 in 67 (4 in 67+), 2 finer. CAC: 10 in 67, 1 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 23FJ, PCGS# 4857

PROOF BARBER DIME

1906 Barber Dime, PR67 Attractive Old-Time Toning





3617 1906 PR67 PCGS. CAC. A beautifully toned and reflective Superb Gem proof, showing full detail and near-perfect preservation. Shades of lilac, rose, amber, gold, and green adorn each side, characteristic of original proof set toning. The 1906 proof dime is seldom offered in this grade with CAC endorsement. Population: 12 in 67, 2 finer; 4 in 67 (2 in 67+) Cameo, 0 finer. CAC: 9 in 67, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23GK, PCGS# 4890

MERCURY DIMES

1916-D Mercury Dime, AU Sharpness Well-Detailed Series Key Issue





3618 1916-D — Cleaned — PCGS Genuine. AU Details. Although cleaned lightly in the past, this sharply detailed 1916-D should find a ready audience among the legions of Mercury dime collectors still needing a sharp example of the ultimate, low-mintage series key. Fine-grained fields display a steel-blue cast, with especially sharp definition throughout the central elements. Soft mint luster remains on both sides. Scarce and expensive in full Mint State, we expect spirited competition for this appealing example.

1923-S Mercury Dime, MS65 Elusive Example With Full Bands





3619 1923-S MS65 Full Bands NGC. From a mintage of 6.4 million pieces, the 1923-S Mercury dime is seldom encountered in MS65 condition, with the Full Bands designation. This spectacular Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements, with Full Bands definition on the fasces. The well-preserved brilliant surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster throughout. Census: 14 in 65 Full Bands, 1 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 23HH, PCGS# 4941

1931-D Dime, MS67+ Full Bands Top-Grade Registry Coin





3620 1931-D MS67+ Full Bands PCGS. CAC. This Full Bands coin is not only sharp in the centers, but it is impressively well-struck throughout the border regions as well. Satiny luster is devoid of abrasions, with only the faintest trace of light champagne color. This is among the finest Full Bands examples certified, and it is a rarity with the CAC green label. Population: 82 in 67 (8 in 67+) Full Bands, 0 finer. CAC: 20 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 5BZ4, PCGS# 4985

1940 Dime, MS68 Full Bands Scarce Registry-Grade Example





3621 1940 MS68 Full Bands PCGS. CAC. Spectacular preservation adorns this CAC-approved, high-end Superb Gem, with luminous satin luster complementing the Full Bands strike. Soft champagne color tints the interiors, ceding to amber, green, and russet toning along the upper obverse border. Eye appeal is outstanding. No 1940 Mercury dimes are certified finer with Full Bands. Population: 39 in 68 (5 in 68+) Full Bands, 0 finer. CAC: 10 in 68, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23|U, PCGS# 5023

1945-S Dime, MS68 Full Bands Attractively Toned Registry Coin





3622 1945-S MS68 Full Bands NGC. Vibrant luster shines through vivid concentric bands of yellow-gold, sea-green, blue, lilac, and amber toning on this high-end Registry coin. A sharp strike includes full horizontal bands on the fasces, and neither side exhibits bothersome abrasions. The 1945-S is a plentiful date in the series, popular with type collectors. Nonetheless, few examples are worthy of the lofty MS68 Full Bands designation, and none are finer. Census: 24 in 68 (2 in 68★) Full Bands, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23KG, PCGS# 5061

PROOF MERCURY DIMES

1938 Dime, PR68★ Terrific Eye Appeal





3623 1938 PR68★ NGC. This Superb Gem proof dime features dazzling mirrors and has eye appeal in spades. Both sides are minimally toned, though a suggestion of silver-gray or golden-tan appears occasionally at the rims. Exquisitely preserved. Census: 44 in 68 (4 in 68★), 1 finer (1/20).

Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 10/2009), lot 461; ANA National Money Show Signature (Heritage, 2-3/2014), lot 4537. NGC ID# 27DJ, PCGS# 5073

3624 1940 PR68 ★ NGC. A beautiful PR68 ★ specimen with impressive eye appeal. Brilliant silver centers and splashes of peripheral peachgold and fire-red patina contribute to the excellent aesthetic quality. Census: 46 in 68 (5 in 68 ★), 2 finer (1/20).

Ex: Houston Signature (Heritage, 12/2008), lot 1201; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2010), lot 3875; FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2012), lot 5677; ANA National Money Show Signature (Heritage, 2-3/2014), lot 4539. NGC ID# 27DL, PCGS# 5075

1942 Mercury Dime, PR68+ CAC Approval, Incredible Visual Appeal





3625 1942 PR68+ NGC. CAC. The final-year proof Mercury dime is the most plentiful in high grade, ideal for type collectors seeking a high-end proof for representation of this design. The present coin is not only Plus graded, it is CAC endorsed, placing it in a distinct minority of the PR68 survivorship. Higher-grade proofs are major rarities that are out of reach for most collectors. This piece is brilliant in the centers with traces of amber toning around the borders. Eye appeal is outstanding. NGC ID# 27DN, PCGS# 5077

TWENTY CENT PIECE

1875-S Twenty Cent, MS65+ Outstanding Type Coin





3626 1875-S MS65+ PCGS. CAC. BF-14, R.1. The 1875-S is the ideal type coin in the twenty cent series. The mintage of more than 1.1 million coins makes this date plentiful in grades through MS65, and higher-grade pieces are collectible for a price. For collectors seeking the best Gem example possible, this piece earns high marks. It is one of just nine MS65s that are Plus-graded at PCGS, and the CAC endorsement confirms its high quality for the grade. The devices are well-struck, and luster is frosty. Original olive toning peppers each side. CAC: 53 in 65, 22 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23R7, PCGS# 5298

PROOF TWENTY CENT PIECES

1875 Twenty Cent, PR64 Flashy Fields Beneath Multicolor Patina





3627 1875 PR64 NGC. BF-1, R.1. The usual die marriage for both proofs and circulation strikes, with the shield point over the left edge of the 1. This inaugural-year twenty cent piece derives from a mintage of 1,200 proofs. Flashy, reflective surfaces reside beneath layers of multicolor toning that includes shades of rose, gold and blue patina. NGC ID# 27GZ, PCGS# 5303

1875 Twenty Cent, PR64 Cameo Well-Contrasted First-Year Type Coin





3628 1875 PR64 Cameo NGC. BF-1, R.1. Proofs and circulation strikes were produced with this die pair. Twenty cent coinage at Philadelphia in 1875 amounted to 38,500 business strikes and 1,200 proofs. The proof issue is the most plentiful in high grade, ideal for type and date purposes. This Choice Cameo displays full strike sharpness and stark field-device contrast. Daubs of lavender border toning frame the brilliant interiors, and no contact marks are apparent. Census: 15 in 64 Cameo, 26 finer; 1 in 64 Ultra Cameo, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23X7, PCGS# 85303

1876 Twenty Cent Piece, PR64 Elusive Cameo Example





3629 1876 PR64 Cameo PCGS. BF-1, R.4. The only hint of toning on this near-Gem proof example is a very light coating of smoky-golden color on each side. The design elements are well-detailed, but there are some notable hairlines, particularly in the obverse field that limit the grade. The reflective fields contrast boldly with the frosty devices. Population: 35 in 64 (1 in 64+) Cameo, 24 finer (1/20). Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/2005), lot 5926. NGC ID# 27H3, PCGS# 85304

1876 Twenty Cent, PR64 Cameo Border-Toned and Contrasted





3630 1876 PR64 Cameo PCGS. BF-3, R.4. A sharp, well-contrasted Choice proof example with deeply mirrored fields and brilliant centers. Lavender and amber-orange toning appears in the margins, framing the frosted devices. No mentionable marks are seen. Elusive as a Cameo and rarely seen in the Deep Cameo category. Population: 35 in 64 (1 in 64+) Cameo, 24 finer; 4 in 64 (2 in 64+) Deep Cameo, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 27H3, PCGS# 85304

SEATED QUARTERS

3631 1853/53 No Arrows, Briggs 1-A, FS-301, Good 4 PCGS. Diagnostic repunching of 53 in the date confirms the authenticity of this well-circulated 1853 No Arrows quarter. Although 44,200 pieces were struck, fewer than 200 pieces survive — most were melted for their excess silver content vs. the reduced-weight Arrows variety, dictated by the Coinage Act of 1853. Low-grade circulated examples are especially rare, since most pieces were promptly removed from circulation. This problem-free, smoothly worn example displays pleasing warm-gray toning that deepens slightly at the borders. Population: 2 in 4, 93 finer (12/19).

From The McDonald Family Collection. NGC ID# 23TA, PCGS# 395930 Base PCGS# 5421

1854 Arrows Quarter, MS65 Satiny Type Coin





3632 1854 Arrows MS65 PCGS. The 1854 is the most plentiful No Motto, Arrows date in the Seated quarter series, popular with type collectors in Mint State. This Gem example displays a sharp strike and satiny, golden-toned mint luster. Only a few faint surface grazes are seen. Housed in a green label holder. Population: 17 in 65 (4 in 65+), 18 finer (1/20).

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 23U6, PCGS# 5432

1870-CC Seated Quarter, Good Details Low-Mintage, First Carson City Issue





3633 1870-CC — Cleaned — PCGS Genuine. Good Details. Briggs 1-A. A small mintage of 8,340 Seated Liberty quarters was accomplished at the Carson City Mint in 1870, its first year of coinage operations. The design elements of this well-worn example are complete in outline and the date, mintmark, legends and denomination remain legible, but the motto is weak. The surfaces are lightly abraded, aside from a long scratch through the eagle's left (facing) wing. The coin has a flat aspect and unnatural sheen that indicates a cleaning in the past.

From The McDonald Family Collection.

1872-CC Seated Quarter Rare CC Issue With XF Sharpness





3634 1872-CC — Damage — PCGS Genuine. XF Details. Briggs 1-A. Just 22,850 pieces were struck, and the 1872-CC is even rarer than its low mintage suggests in XF or Finer grades. This well-defined example has a short scrape on the rim near star 4 and a small dig in the nearby field. Some fine granularity exists on both sides, visible under magnification. Pleasing medium-gray surfaces deepen around the lightly worn raised devices.

1873-CC Quarter, AG3 With Arrows, CAC Approval





3635 1873-CC Arrows AG3 PCGS. CAC. All of the devices, lettering, and stars are complete with outlined central devices on this wellworn yet highly attractive piece. Only the bottoms of QUAR. DOL. are merged with the lower reverse border. Both sides are light to medium gray and fully original.

From The McDonald Family Collection. NGC ID# BZMH, PCGS# 5492

1877 Quarter Dollar, MS67 Frosty With Original Toning





3636 1877 MS67 PCGS. Flynn-MPD-001. The upper loops of misplaced digits are evident in the dentils below the date on this lesser but interesting variety. The 1877 Seated quarter as a date is plentiful in most grades, although Superb Gem examples are scarce. This piece displays a bold strike and frosty mint luster. Dusky original toning is most attractive, with interior hues of light gold surrounded by amber-orange and ocean-blue peripheral color. Population: 52 in 67 (8 in 67+), 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23V5, PCGS# 5504

1884 Seated Liberty Quarter, MS67 Low-Mintage Philadelphia Issue





3637 1884 MS67 NGC. Briggs 1-A. From a meager mintage of just 8,000 pieces, the 1884 Seated Liberty quarter is rarely seen in MS67 condition and NGC has graded no examples finer. This delightful Superb Gem features well-detailed design elements, with just the slightest softness on Liberty's upper torso and the eagle's tail feathers. The impeccably preserved surfaces radiate satiny mint luster, with traces of prooflike reflectivity at certain angles. Census: 10 in 67, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 23VG, PCGS# 5516

1891 Quarter Dollar, MS66+ Lightly Toned Final-Year Type Coin





3638 1891 MS66+ PCGS. CAC. Delicate gold and sea-green hues tint the frosty, unabraded surfaces of this high-end Premium Gem, complementing a bold strike. The final-year Seated Liberty quarter from Philadelphia is scarce in MS66 and rare finer. A minority of the coins in these grades are CAC endorsed, setting the present example apart from its peers. Population: 38 in 66 (7 in 66+), 5 finer. CAC: 14 in 66, 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23VR, PCGS# 5524

PROOF SEATED QUARTERS

1863 Quarter, PR66 Cameo All-Brilliant, Only 460 Proofs Struck





3639 1863 PR66 Cameo PCGS. Briggs 4-D. Total mint brilliance accentuates the Cameo contrast between the flashy, reflective fields and well-frosted devices. The only obvious point of contact on either side of this Premium Gem Seated quarter is a tick across Liberty's chest and arm. One of just 460 proofs minted in 1863. Population: 5 in 66 (1 in 66+) Cameo, 0 finer in this category (1/20). NGC ID# 23WR, PCGS# 85559

1867 Quarter, PR66+ Colorful Rainbow Toning





3640 1867 PR66+ PCGS. Briggs 2-B. A die lump on Liberty's drapery above the left edge of the 6 is diagnostic for 1867 proof quarters. The flashy fields, squared-off rims, and pinpoint-sharp strike are a few other indications that this coin was struck with special care. It is beautifully preserved and richly toned, with a full array of rainbow colors that flash when rotated under a good light. One of 625 proofs struck. Population: 13 in 66 (2 in 66+), 2 finer in non-Cameo (12/19). NGC ID# 23WY, PCGS# 5566

1876 Quarter, Brilliant PR66 Cameo





3641 1876 PR66 Cameo PCGS. CAC. Briggs 9-J. Type Two Reverse, with narrow feet on the A in STATES. Rust lumps appear on Liberty's midsection. This all-brilliant Premium Gem enjoys dramatic Cameo contrast with deeply mirrored fields and thick frost over the devices. The reverse shows a bit of duskiness and a single spot of dark color occurs over (I)N. Proof quarter production saw an uptick in 1876 to celebrate the country's centennial, with 1,150 coins struck. Population: 6 in 66 (2 in 66+) Cameo, 3 finer in this category. CAC: 5 in 66, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23X8, PCGS# 85577

1889 Quarter, PR65 Deep Cameo Rare This Starkly Contrasted





3642 1889 PR65 Deep Cameo PCGS. CAC. Briggs 2-B, the proof die pair. The circulation strike 1889 quarter dollar is elusive in general due to its mintage of only 12,000 coins, although proofs — with 711 pieces struck — are often available with good eye appeal. This Gem Deep Cameo is incredibly attractive, earning CAC endorsement with stark contrast and beautiful preservation of the mirrors. Traces of lilac border toning frame brilliant interiors. PCGS lists only 11 Deep Cameos in all grades. Population: 4 in 65 Deep Cameo, 4 finer. CAC: 1 in 65, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23XM, PCGS# 95590

BARBER QUARTERS

1892-S Quarter, MS65 Low First-Year Mintage





3643 1892-S MS65 PCGS. Type Two Reverse. With a mintage under 1 million pieces, this San Francisco issue is scarce in high Uncirculated grades, with fewer than three dozen pieces certified at the Gem or finer level. The present coin is a smoothly frosted MS65 example that displays deep steel-blue toning at the margins, complemented by golden-gray interiors. A sharp strike visits both sides. There are no significant abrasions or marks to mention. Population: 7 in 65, 9 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23XV, PCGS# 5603

1896-O Quarter, MS64 Satiny and Smooth





3644 1896-O MS64 NGC. The 1896-O quarter tends to be overshadowed by its bigger brother, the 1896-S, but this New Orleans issue remains a sought-after semikey, particularly in high grades. Both sides are distinctly satiny, with luster shimmering softly over smooth, all-brilliant surfaces. This near-Gem is fully struck at the centers, including the eagle's shield, talons, and fletchings, while the dentils are sightly incomplete. Notably few ticks for the grade. Census: 20 in 64, 13 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23Y8, PCGS# 5614

1896-S Barber Quarter, VF35 Low-Mintage Key





3645 1896-S VF35 PCGS. There was little numismatic interest in branch mint issues in 1896 and few contemporary collectors saved an example of the San Francisco Mint quarter that year, despite the low mintage of 188,039 pieces. Accordingly, the 1896-S is a sought-after key to the series today and most examples seen are in lower circulated grades. This Choice VF specimen exhibits light-to-moderate wear on the devices, but LIBERTY remains bold. The pleasing lavender-gray surfaces are lightly abraded. Housed in a green label holder. NGC ID# 23Y9, PCGS# 5615

1906-O Quarter, MS67 None Numerically Finer at PCGS





3646 1906-O MS67 PCGS. The 1906-O is perhaps the greatest strike rarity of the Barber quarter series — seldom seen sharply struck, and rare any finer than the Premium Gem level. This Superb Gem example exceeds expectations, with highly lustrous and frosted surfaces and a crisp obverse strike. The reverse is slightly less sharp, but with equally vibrant eye appeal. Coruscated shades of sea-green, gold, and ice-blue radiate from each side. None are numerically finer at PCGS, joined by two pieces certified MS67+. Population: 8 in 67 (2 in 67+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23Z7, PCGS# 5644

PROOF BARBER QUARTERS

1893 Barber Quarter, PR68 One-Sided Cameo





3647 1893 PR68 NGC. A fully struck, nearly perfect proof with deeply mirrored fields and satiny devices. A delicate lilac-gold veil tints otherwise brilliant surfaces, producing attractive aesthetics for this type coin. The obverse is starkly contrasted, although the reverse prevents a Cameo designation from NGC. Still, a rare coin in this grade. Census: 8 in 68 (1 in 68★), 2 finer; 8 in 68 (2 in 68★) Cameo, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2428, PCGS# 5679

1894 Barber Quarter, PR68 Sharply Detailed Cameo Example





3648 1894 PR68 Cameo NGC. The 1894 proof Barber quarter claims a fairly generous mintage of 972 pieces, but few survivors can match the quality and eye appeal of this spectacular PR68 example. This coin exhibits sharply detailed frosty design elements that contrast boldly with the deeply mirrored fields. The virtually pristine surfaces are enhanced by highlights of pale gold and lavender-gray toning. Census: 3 in 68 Cameo (1 in 68★), 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2429, PCGS# 85680

1906 Barber Quarter, PR67 Only 675 Pieces Struck





3649 1906 PR67 NGC. CAC. One of just 675 proofs produced, this Superb Gem survivor is for all purposes brilliant, save for a hint of gold at the rims. The strike is razor-sharp. Only slight contrast exists between the central motifs and the glassy-mirrored fields. Eye appeal is terrific, as confirmed by CAC endorsement. Census: 28 in 67 (1 in 67★), 13 finer. CAC: 14 in 67, 5 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 242M, PCGS# 5692

1914 Quarter Dollar, PR68★ Vivid Toning on Both Sides





3650 1914 PR68★ NGC. A fully struck, deeply mirrored proof in remarkably fine condition. Vivid sun-gold, sea-green, lilac, and bluish toning paints each side, earning a Star designation from NGC for outstanding eye appeal. The 1914 proof is rarely offered this fine, and none are graded numerically higher at NGC. Census: 8 in 68 (2 in 68★), 0 finer; 2 in 68 Cameo, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 242W, PCGS# 5700

STANDING LIBERTY QUARTERS

1916 Standing Liberty Quarter About Uncirculated Details





- 3651 1916 Cleaned PCGS Genuine. AU Details. For collectors of all levels, the 1916 Standing Liberty quarter is one of the stoppers if not the stopper in the series. Examples are frequently available, although the price is typically steep in the upper reaches of preservation. The present coin is lightly cleaned and has brilliant, shiny surfaces as a result, although the amount of detail nearly belies the AU designation. The 1916 is known for its soft obverse details, and this coin shows about all of the sharpness that is ever present on the 1916 quarter. There are no major abrasions, and eye appeal is pleasing for a Details-graded coin.
- 3652 1917-D Type One MS63 Full Head PCGS. An impressive Select example of the short-lived Type One design, this coin exhibits sharply detailed design elements, with Full Head definition and vibrant mint luster throughout. The lightly marked surfaces show subtle hints of champagne-gold toning. NGC ID# 2432, PCGS# 5709
- 3653 1917-S Type One MS64 Full Head NGC. A spectacular Choice specimen from the final year of the popular Type One design, this coin exhibits sharply detailed design elements with enough definition to merit the Full Head designation. The well-preserved brilliant surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster and outstanding eye appeal. NGC ID# 2433, PCGS# 5711

1921 Quarter, MS65 Lustrous and Well-Struck





3654 1921 MS65 PCGS. CAC. The 1921 Standing Liberty quarter is a better date in the series, with a relatively low mintage of less than 2 million pieces. One of the key dates in the series, it is highly popular with collectors. The radiantly lustrous surfaces of this Gem are nearly color-free save for occasional whispers of reddish-gold on the obverse. The design elements are sharply struck, especially the chain mail and the horizontal and vertical stripes of the inner shield. While Liberty's head is not full, the facial features are nicely detailed. NGC ID# 243H, PCGS# 5740

1923-S Quarter, MS64 Full Head Important San Francisco Semikey





3655 1923-S MS64 Full Head PCGS. This satiny near-Gem displays impressively sharp details on both sides, most notable on the date numerals and the leading edge of the eagle's left (facing) wing, both areas that typically show localized softness. Liberty's head detail is sharp enough to earn an FH designation from PCGS, although it is slightly incomplete in the vicinity of the ear. The shield rivets are boldly rendered. Luster is satiny with light golden toning. Neither side exhibits mentionable abrasions. NGC ID# 243K, PCGS# 5745

1924-D Quarter, MS65 Full Head Challenging in Full Head





3656 1924-D MS65 Full Head PCGS. This Denver issue is a major challenge to locate with Full Head detail. The present coin is well-struck, despite die erosion throughout the obverse that produces a finely granular texture to the luster. The date is clear, although the tops of the numerals blend into the pedestal. Flecks of olive-gold toning appear around the borders, leaving the interiors with virtual brilliance. Neither side exhibits bothersome abrasions. Population: 62 in 65 (2 in 65+) Full Head, 27 finer (1/20).

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 243M, PCGS# 5749

1924-D Quarter, MS66 Full Head Lustrous and Lightly Toned





3657 1924-D MS66 Full Head NGC. The 1924-D is a plentiful issue in the Standing Liberty quarter series, although the majority of the population has distinctly flat head detail on Liberty, softness that often rivals that of the famous "flat head," the 1926-D. Full Head 1924-D quarters are elusive. This Premium Gem example just makes Full Head classification at NGC. Satiny, russet-gold luster reveals few abrasions, and eye appeal is pleasing. There is a slight die bulge on the date pedestal, as normal, but the numerals remain clear. Census: 11 in 66 Full Head, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 243M, PCGS# 5749

1927-D Quarter, MS66 Full Head Underappreciated Denver Issue





3658 1927-D MS66 Full Head NGC. This is an underrated issue with Full Head definition, especially in the Premium Gem grade. Examples this fine are rare, and higher-grade Full Head pieces are uncollectible for most enthusiasts. The present coin is struck from fresh dies with no trace of erosion in the fields. Pastel toning graces the satin luster, and neither side has bothersome abrasions. While Liberty's head is razor-sharp, the toes and lowermost stars show the usual strike softness. Census: 11 in 66 (1 in 66+) Full Head, 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 243V, PCGS# 5763

1927-S Quarter, Frosty MS64 Outstanding for the Grade





3659 1927-S MS64 PCGS. The 1927-S is a condition key in the series. Any attractive Mint State example is a scarce coin, even without Full Head detail. In fact, non-Full Head coins in Mint State are underrated in the current market. This Choice example displays brilliant, frosty mint luster and is remarkably well-preserved. Luster glistens beneath a light. Strike weakness affects Liberty's temple and the shield rivets, per the usual for this San Francisco issue. NGC ID# 243W, PCGS# 5764

1928 Standing Liberty Quarter, MS66 Full Head Definition





3660 1928 MS66 Full Head PCGS. CAC. This delightful Premium Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements in most areas, with fine definition on Liberty's head and just a trace of the usual softness on the shield rivets. The well-preserved surfaces radiate satiny mint luster from both sides and overall eye appeal is terrific. Population: 66 in 66 (5 in 66+) Full Head, 10 finer. CAC: 14 in 66, 5 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 243X, PCGS# 5767

1928-D Quarter, MS65+ Full Head Elusive in High Grade Full Head





3661 1928-D MS65+ Full Head PCGS. Most of the Denver issues in the Standing Liberty quarter series are difficult to acquire in Gem Full Head. The 1928-D is among the more overlooked in that regarded. Examples are scarce in this grade and rare finer with a Full Head. This piece is sharp on Liberty's head and the shield stripes, while the shield rivets have only minor softness. Liberty's toes are well-defined, though the bottom two stars on either side of the pedestal are weak. Flecks of russet toning accent satiny mint luster. Population: 36 in 65 (4 in 65+) Full Head, 24 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 243Y, PCGS# 5769

1928-D Standing Liberty Quarter, MS65+ CAC Approved Full Head Example





3662 1928-D MS65+ Full Head PCGS. CAC. Despite a adequate mintage of 1.6 million pieces, the 1928-D Standing Liberty quarter is a scarce issue at the MS65 grade level, and finer coins are rare. This Plus-graded Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements, with Full Head definition and just a touch of softness on some shield rivets. The well-preserved brilliant surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster, with outstanding eye appeal. Population: 36 in 65 (4 in 65+) Full Head, 24 finer. CAC: 6 in 65, 11 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 243Y, PCGS# 5769

1930 Quarter, MS67 Full Head One Coin Numerically Finer





3663 1930 MS67 Full Head PCGS. The 1930 is plentiful in most grades and a popular choice to represent the type, even with Full Head definition. This gorgeous, totally brilliant Superb Gem is brightly frosted. Razor-sharp detail appears on the shield and date, and especially on Liberty's head. No marks to mention. Population: 56 in 67 (4 in 67+) Full Head, 1 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 2445, PCGS# 5779

WASHINGTON QUARTERS

1934 FS-101 Quarter, MS65 Doubled Die Obverse





doubling southeast on the motto quickly identifies this *Guide Book* and *Cherrypickers*' variety. Slight doubling also appears on LIBERTY and the date, although it is not quite as apparent. Strong feather detail occurs on the eagle's breast. Dusky, lightly toned centers anchor multicolor patina around the borders of this lustrous Gem Washington quarter. Population: 20 in 65 (3 in 65+1), 16 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 244A, PCGS# 5900 Base PCGS# 5795

1936-D Washington Quarter, MS67 Superb Registry Contender





3665 1936-D MS67 PCGS. The 1936-D is famously one of the most challenging Washington quarter "common dates" to acquire in high grade. Premium Gems are elusive in their own right, but Superb Gems are borderline rare. This MS67 is among the finest pieces certified. Luster is satiny and mainly brilliant, although it lends itself to light golden hues near the borders. Strike sharpness and preservation are equally superb. Population: 31 in 67 (6 in 67+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 244H, PCGS# 5801

1937-D Quarter, MS67+ Tied for Finest Certified





3666 1937-D MS67+ PCGS. A thin band of multicolor patina adorns about 75% of the obverse rim, from the L in LIBERTY counterclockwise past the 7 in the date. The rest of this outstanding Superb Gem quarter remains brilliant with only the slightest suggestion of dusky powder-blue. Expectedly clean for the grade with one microscopic reeding mark on Washington's forehead. Population: 98 in 67 (9 in 67+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 244L, PCGS# 5804

1951-D Washington Quarter, MS67+ Only One Finer Coin at PCGS





1951-D MS67+ PCGS. CAC. Vivid shades of burnt-orange and lavender-gray toning enhance the impeccably preserved obverse of this Plus-graded Superb Gem, while the reverse remains essentially brilliant. The design elements are sharply detailed throughout and both sides radiate vibrant mint luster, with outstanding eye appeal. Population: 83 in 67 (15 in 67+), 1 finer. CAC: 30 in 67, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 245X, PCGS# 5847

1954-D Quarter, MS67+ Vibrant Obverse Toning Among the Finest Certified





PCGS Registry Sets will be vying for this high-end Superb Gem. Near-perfect surfaces are a necessary requirement for this lofty grade, and attractive toning adds to the visual allure of this piece. Liberal splashes of olive-green, golden-brown and bright red appear on the obverse. Though not as pronounced, the toning on the reverse includes shades of ice-blue and golden-brown, plus a few small areas of various shades of red. Neither PCGS nor NGC has awarded a higher numeric grade to any examples, with PCGS's Population Report listing 24 in 67 (3 in 67+), 0 finer. CAC: 13 in 67, 0 finer (1/20).

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2013), lot 4833. NGC ID# 43PC, PCGS# 5856

1961-D Quarter Dollar, MS67 Top Numeric Grade for the Issue





3669 1961-D MS67 PCGS. A conditionally rare top-grade example of this otherwise plentiful Denver issue, showing satin luster and light champagne tint. Flecks of russet and amber appear around the obverse border. Faint die straitions appear in the fields, suggesting an early die state for this Superb Gem Registry coin. Population: 12 in 67 (2 in 67+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 246N, PCGS# 5871

PROOF WASHINGTON QUARTERS

1936 Washington Quarter, PR67 Near-Perfect Preservation





3670 1936 PR67 NGC. Resumption of proof coinage in 1936 featured a lower relief format and a low mintage compared to subsequent years. The new, first-year proofs numbered just 3,837 pieces. This Superb Gem is a nearly perfect example of the issue. Both sides are mostly brilliant, with a faint speckling of gold toning on the obverse and wisps of gold at the reverse margins. Essentially flawless fields display moderate mirroring usually seen on the inaugural proofs, but the strike is sharp, and only one piece is certified numerically finer at either service. Census: 26 in 67 (1 in 67★), 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 27HN, PCGS# 5975

1938 Quarter, Top-Graded PR68 Near-Flawless Registry Coin





3671 1938 PR68 PCGS. Sky-blue, green, and purple toning at the centers merges with dusky golden patina around the borders. The underlying surfaces are smooth and satiny without a single notable contact mark or fleck. A near-flawless Registry coin. Proof quarter production rose to 8,045 coins in 1938. Population: 9 in 68, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 27HR, PCGS# 5977

STATEHOOD QUARTER

1999-P Georgia Quarter, MS65 Struck on an Experimental Planchet





3672 1999-P Georgia Statehood Quarter — Struck on an Experimental Planchet — MS65 PCGS. In preparation for the 2000 Sacagawea dollar, the Philadelphia mint experimented with the statehood quarters, testing for compositions on all five types in 1999, including this Georgia state quarter. The four compositions resulted in gold-colored coins or greenish coins, either type with or without a copper core. This piece has a greenish color, but we are unable to determine if it has a copper core or not, due to the holder. While this brilliant, highly lustrous, and sharply detailed piece was intentionally produced, it is classified as a mint error since these pieces were not intended for circulation. They should have been destroyed, and those that did reach the outside world are extremely rare.

EARLY HALF DOLLARS

1795 O-110a Flowing Hair Half, VF30 Attractively Toned Collector-Grade Example





3673 1795 2 Leaves, O-110a, T-21, R.3, VF30 PCGS. Tompkins Die State 3/3. A heavy, arc-shaped obverse die crack that curves between 1 and 3 o'clock is characteristic of the Overton subvariety. The beginnings of a second, similar crack runs parallel to the first crack from R in LIBERTY. Medium walnut-brown toning visits this attractively detailed Flowing Hair half. Faint adjustment marks (as produced) are noted on the eagle's legs. A few pinscratches and short scrapes outline the portrait, which shows die clashing near and above Liberty's hair. NGC ID# 24E7, PCGS# 39229 Base PCGS# 6052

1795 Flowing Hair Half Dollar, AU Details O-117a, Two Leaves





3674 1795 Two Leaves, O-117a, T-3, R.4 — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. Tompkins Die State 4/2. One of the later die state, showing heavy clash marks as well as a radial obverse crack from the rim at 5 o'clock into Liberty's bust. Some faint adjustment marks are visible along the lower reverse, weakening the dentils, but the remainder of each side is well-struck. Mottled golden-gray and lilac toning covers each side.

1801 O-101 Half Dollar, VF30 Well-Defined and Uniformly Toned





3675 1801 O-101, T-2, R.3, VF30 PCGS. This variety famously shows large die lumps around the reverse arrows, the UN in UNITED, and between the ER in AMERICA. This example is evenly worn with uniform olive-gray patina. Delicate lilac and golden undertones are evident around the margins, mainly near the dentils. The borders are sharply defined, although some weakness is noted amid the central reverse stars. Eye appeal is pleasing as a date or variety coin. NGC ID# 24ED, PCGS# 39267 Base PCGS# 6064

1806 O-120a Half, AU55 Intermediate Die State





3676 1806 Pointed 6, Stem, O-120a, T-28, R.4, AU55 NGC. A slightly advanced but still early die state. The reverse cud on the shield connects all three pales of stripe 4 to the two left most pales of stripe 5. The obverse has extensive cracks and clash marks as usual. Struck very slightly off-center, perhaps 3%, and borderline between a poorly centered strike and a mint error. Deeply toned gold, lilac, and blue surfaces with considerable underlying mint luster. Perhaps lightly cleaned but not obviously so, and of no concern to the certification service.

Ex: Gerald Schertz; Liberty Coins (8/2003); Westmoreland Collection / Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2008), lot 999. NGC ID# 24EJ, PCGS# 39326 Base PCGS# 6071

1806 O-124, T-22 Half Dollar, VF30 Census Level E over A in STATES





3677 1806 E Over A in STATES, O-124, T-22, R.6, VF30 PCGS. CAC. An absolutely stunning VF30 example of this rare variety that has its own listing in the Guide Book. Only about two dozen examples survive in all grades, typically with problems. This piece has lovely pewter-gray surfaces and hints of violet overtones. This piece ranks among the three or four finest examples of the variety that have been offered at auction in the last dozen years. Here is an extremely important opportunity for the advanced early half dollar collector. NGC ID# 24EJ, PCGS# 39330 Base PCGS# 6071

BUST HALF DOLLARS

1807 Capped Bust Half Dollar, VF20 O-111b, 'Bearded Goddess' Die Break





3678 1807 Capped Bust, Bearded Goddess, O-111b, R.5, VF20 NGC. CAC. Always a collector favorite, this example of the John Reich two-year design is a microcosm of all that is appealing about collecting early Bust halves. The mid-die state O-111b variety features the 50/20 overdenomination plus the diagnostic die crack from chin-to-chest that earns the popular numismatic nickname of the Bearded Goddess. This example displays smooth, virtually abrasion-free surfaces and old-time album toning with glints of golden luster still visible. It is the NGC VARIETYPLUS plate $\mathop{\hbox{\rm coin}}$ for the variety. Census: 3 in 20, 27 finer (1/20). Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2015), lot 4927.

From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24EN, PCGS# 39358 Base PCGS# 39357

1807 Capped Bust Half Dollar, AU55 O-112, 50 Over 20 Guide Book Variety





3679 1807 Capped Bust, Large Stars, 50 Over 20, O-112, R.1, AU55 NGC. This bright, partially lustrous first-year Capped Bust half dollar has a complete left foot on the 1 in the date. The 50 on the reverse is clearly punched over an underlying 20. Golden accents adhere to the rims, and a splash of cobalt-blue color occurs at 1 o'clock on the obverse. The strike is slightly uneven, and faint hairlines appear on each side. A popular *Guide Book* variety. NGC ID# 24EN, PCGS# 39356 Base PCGS# 6086

1808 Half Dollar, AU58 Elegant O-103 Example





3680 1808 O-103, R.1, AU58 PCGS. The bases of AM are solidly joined together, and the left base of the 1 in the date is missing. Overton-103 is one of the most collectible die marriages for the year. This nearly Uncirculated representative displays uniform antique golden-gray patina with faint traces of remaining mint luster and lavender accents. The stars are well-formed, if slightly drawn to the rims, and the centers show good detail. Both sides are smooth and attractive. NGC ID# 24EP, PCGS# 39364 Base PCGS# 6090

1809 Half Dollar, AU58 O-102, Much Luster Remains, CAC





3681 1809 O-102, R.1, AU58 PCGS. CAC. Overton-102 shares its reverse with O-110, and the two varieties are sometimes confused by a row of scroll marks (or segments) that appear above the eagle's head on both varieties. Star 13 is closer to the curl on O-102, and Liberty's forecurl is closer to the headband. This near-Mint example shows a late obverse die state, with light die cracks at 1 of the date — two cracks traveling left, and another crack connecting 180 along the date's base. Bluish-gray toning yields to lustrous, silver areas on the obverse, while the reverse displays a richly toned, blue-gray center and iridescent colors at the margins. Both sides have a sharp strike and bold eye appeal, confirmed by CAC endorsement. NGC ID# 24ES, PCGS# 39380 Base PCGS# 6093

1811 Small 8 Half Dollar, MS62 O-105a, Late Die State





3682 1811 Small 8, O-105a, R.2, MS62 PCGS. A horizontal line extends off the right edge of the shield into the feathers on this 1811 Small 8 half dollar. The late die state of O-105 exhibits a crack above and through D STATES, and others through the arrows, denomination, and olive leaves, and heavy clashing in the fields. A hint of golden color complements brilliant, softly lustrous surfaces. The obverse is fully struck, while the reverse shows incompleteness on the eagle's head and the peripheral elements slightly drawn to the rims.

From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24EU, PCGS# 39428 Base PCGS# 6097

1812/1 O-101 Half Dollar, VF20 Large 8, Key Guide Book Variety





3683 1812/1 Large 8, O-101, Low R.5, VF20 PCGS. Deep cream-gray toning blankets this evenly circulated and lightly abraded Very Fine Bust half. The obverse displays light die cracks, but it lacks those of O-101a. A popular die marriage, given its own *Guide Book* listing because of the overdate and Large 8 combination. Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2015), lot 4939.

From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24EX, PCGS# 39441 Base PCGS# 6102

1812 O-109 Half Dollar, MS64 Scarce Early Die State, Condition Census





3684 1812 Large 8, O-109, R.3, MS64 NGC. This is a scarce early die state example without the round bulge at the inner tip of star 10 seen on most examples. The placement of the second T in STATES far left over the I in PLURIBUS and the die defect left of the second vertical shield stripe confirm the attribution. Herrman lists this near-Gem atop the Condition Census for O-109, although several Gem and Premium Gems examples exist for the later, more available O-109a. Thin blushes of pale gold complement largely brilliant and fully frosted surfaces. The design elements are sharp, with the sole exception being the left-side stars and corresponding area on the reverse. NGC ID# 4FVJ, PCGS# 39455 Base PCGS# 6100

1813 O-104 Half Dollar, MS61 A Condition Census Example





3685 1813 O-104, R.4, MS61 NGC. One of the curls pierces the R in LIBERTY, and the I in UNITED is positioned higher than the adjacent T. Overton-104 ranks among the most challenging die marriages for the year. It is seldom found in high grades and rarely with good eye appeal. Indeed, this MS61 representative claims a spot on the Condition Census. It features a mostly brilliant reverse and pale rose-gold toning over the obverse. The outer elements are drawn to the rims but the centers show crisp detail. Softly lustrous with a few small marks on the bust.

Ex: Purchased from Jack Beymer at the August 2002 ANA Convention; Keith Davignon Collection / Mail Bid Auction 39 (Sheridan Downey, 8/2014), lot 13; Mail Bid Auction 41 (Sheridan Downey, 8/2015), lot 26.

From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24EZ, PCGS# 39462 Base PCGS# 6103

1815/2 Capped Bust Half, VF Details Popular Key, O-101





3686 1815/2 O-101, R.2 — Cleaned — PCGS Genuine. VF Details. Remnants of an undertype 2 are visible between the upper curve and flag of the 5. The design elements of this lightly worn specimen were strongly impressed and retain much interior detail throughout. Dramatic clash marks are evident on both sides. The lightly abraded surfaces are blanketed in steel-gray toning, with original mint luster shining through the patina in selected areas. Both sides show evidence of a light cleaning.

From The McDonald Family Collection.

1815/2 Half Dollar, Choice XF Famous Overdate, O-101a





3687 1815/2 O-101a, R.3, XF45 PCGS. All 1815 half dollars, 47,150 pieces, were struck from the same set of dies, distinguished by the famous overdate. This example is in a late die state with a crack through the denomination and heavy clashing on each side. Traces of the underdigit 2 remain around the 5. This Choice XF representative saw modest circulation. It shows a bit of highpoint rub, but hints of luster glow from the recesses and design definition remains strong overall. Only the eagle's head and the edge of the left (facing) wing are notably incomplete.

From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24F5, PCGS# 39492 Base PCGS# 6108

1817/3 O-101a Half, AU53 Remarkably Bold Overdate





3688 1817/3 O-101a, R.2, AU53 PCGS. Silver luster remains across both sides of this late die state example, with multiple areas of die clashing visible throughout the obverse and the reverse. An ascending curved die crack runs through the top of the denomination, confirming the O-101a die state. As always, the overdate is abundantly clear for the variety, with an underdigit 3 boldly evident beneath the 7 to create one of the most spectacular overdates of the series. Slight golden-rose accents enhance the pleasing, sharply struck silver-gray fields and devices. Population (for the variety) 4 in 53.9 finer (1/20)

(for the variety): 4 in 53, 9 finer (1/20). Ex: Summer FUN Signature (Heritage, 7/2015), lot 3928.

From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24F7, PCGS# 39512 Base PCGS# 6111

1817 Half Dollar, Choice AU O-103, Punctuated Date





3689 1817 181.7, O-103, R.2, AU55 PCGS. CAC. Overton's "punctuated date" variety with a fairly large die dot between the 17 in the date. This lightly circulated example is draped in medium golden-brown and dove-gray shades with blushes of magenta and navy-blue near the rims. Luster illuminates peripheral elements, and marks are confined to a bright area below the right scroll end. Population (for the variety): 5 in 55, 6 finer (12/19).

From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24F6, PCGS# 39510 Base PCGS# 6110

1817 O-107 Half Dollar, MS63+ Extensive Reverse Die Cracks





3690 1817 O-107, R.3, MS63+ NGC. Star and date placement, as well as a die line through the BE in LIBERTY, identify this obverse, while widespread die cracks and a heavy die line off of the back end of the middle arrow shaft confirm the reverse attribution. There is little die erosion in the peripheries of this coin, and the obverse is uncracked. The reverse die cracks are mainly around the periphery, although a radial one runs through the C in AMERICA into the eagle's wing. Deep forest-green and russet-teal toning colors the margins, leaving the interiors with lighter rose and gold hues. Slight strike softness is seen only on the eagle's head. NGC ID# 24F6, PCGS# 39499 Base PCGS# 6109

1817 Half Dollar, MS63 Condition Census O-109 Example





3691 1817 O-109, R.2, MS63 PCGS. The O in OF and C in AMERICA are recut. Star 7 points to the lower of the two forecurls. This Select Uncirculated Capped Bust half dollar qualifies for the lower end of the Condition Census for the Overton-109 die pair. Golden-orange and ice-blue toning around the rims mellows to brilliant, lustrous interiors. Strongly defined and impressively preserved.

From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24F6, PCGS# 39501 Base PCGS# 6109

1817 O-110 Half Dollar, MS62 Ex: Link, Rich Toning





3692 1817 O-110, R.2, MS62 PCGS. Ex: Link. The triple dentil below star 13 and die line off the tip of the fletching above the eagle's talon confirm the attribution for this collectible Overton variety. Ice-blue, violet, and golden tones color each side. The dentils, stars, arrows, legends, and most feathers show razor-sharp detail. Trivial incompleteness occurs on a few curls, and over the eagle's brow and left leading wing edge. Smooth and softly lustrous.

From A Small California Cabinet. NGĆ ID# 24F6, PCGS# 39502 Base PCGS# 6109

1819 O-113 Half Dollar, MS62 Softly Lustrous, Golden Accents





3693 1819 O-113, R.1, MS62 PCGS. The most collectible variety for the year. The middle pale of gule 2 extends up into the horizontals, and the shield border is doubled below gule 3. This O-113 Capped Bust half dollar is razor-sharp and softly lustrous with delicate golden accents over mostly silver surfaces. Minor ticks and a few hairlines define the technical grade, but eye appeal exceeds what might be expected. NGC ID# 24FB, PCGS# 39552 Base PCGS# 6117

1820 Capped Bust Half, Fine 15 Rare Guide Book Variety, O-107





3694 1820 No Serifs on E's, O-107, R.5, Fine 15 PCGS. This coin represents the elusive O-107 variety, with a square-based 2 in the date and defective bases on the A's and E's in the reverse legend. Of all the 1820 varieties, the O-107 is the most difficult to locate. This impressive Fine 15 example shows moderate wear on the design elements, but the clasp and adjacent curl remain clearly outlined, with some interior detail still intact. The pleasing lavender-gray surfaces are lightly abraded and the overall presentation is most attractive.

From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FD, PCGS# 39571 Base PCGS# 6124

1823 Patched 3 O-101a Half Dollar Lustrous Near-Mint Example





3695 1823 Patched 3, O-101a, R.1, AU58 PCGS. Overton-101a is the so-called "Patched 3" variety, showing a lump at the crook of the 3 in the date. The early state of this obverse, O-101, is the "Broken 3" variety, showing the two loops of the 3 barely connected. This near-Mint example displays satiny luster in the fields with barely a brush of wear over the devices. Original olive-gold and russet toning covers each side. NGC ID# 24FJ, PCGS# 39621 Base PCGS# 6133

1823 O-110a Half Dollar, AU55 Popular 'Ugly 3' *Guide Book* Variety





3696 1823 Ugly 3, O-110a, R.3, AU55 PCGS. CAC. In its later die state, this obverse developed a crack or break through the back of the 3. As die usage progressed, the chip became enlarged, resulting in the digit appearing misshapen, hence the "Ugly 3" moniker. This strongly detailed Choice AU representative showcases original golden-olive patina with partial glowing luster around the devices. Although not rare by any means, the 1823 O-110a Ugly 3 halves are subject to considerable collector demand, particularly in high grades.

From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FJ, PCGS# 39623 Base PCGS# 6134

1829/7 O-101 Half Dollar, MS64 Lustrous Overdate Example





3697 1829/7 O-101, R.1, MS64 PCGS. The O-101 reverse is heavily lapped, although it is even further lapped in a later state of these dies. This is one of two varieties that employ the 1829/7 overdated obverse, which shows repunching on the 182 and the upright of a 7 within the lower loop of the 9. In near-Gem condition, this piece is vibrantly lustrous and well-preserved, showing brilliant interiors that cede to ocean-blue and lilac borders. A few border stars are weakly struck, but the central devices show good definition. NGC ID# 24FT, PCGS# 39807 Base PCGS# 6155

1829 Half Dollar, Colorful MS64 Large Letters, O-110





3698 1829 Large Letters, O-110, R.2, MS64 PCGS. CAC. The only 1829 Large Letters variety shows recutting on the right edge of the 9 and very close spacing between (UNITE)D S(TATES). This CAC-approved near-Gem is generally bold with areas of minor softness on a few upper curls, left-side stars, and left (facing) wing feathers. Liberty's face, lower curls, and the rest of the stars and eagle show strong definition. Perhaps the most captivating feature is the medley of natural fire-orange, magenta, violet, neon-green, and blue patina that resides mainly around the design elements. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 4D7S, PCGS# 39791 Base PCGS# 6154

1830 O-102 Half Dollar, MS64 Old Green Holder, Green CAC





1830 Small 0, O-102, R.3, MS64 PCGS. CAC. The margins have light golden-brown patina, while the obverse center is generally brilliant. The reverse is dominated with wisps of pale mauve color. This is an exquisitely struck near-Gem that has bold star centrils and rich hair tress details — lustrous and beautifully preserved. Housed in an old green label holder with CAC endorsement. Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2003), lot 7107.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 4DBZ, PCGS# 39811 Base PCGS# 6156

1834 O-101 Bust Half Dollar, MS64 Vibrant Large Date, Large Letters Coin





3700 1834 Large Date, Large Letters, O-101, R.1, MS64 PCGS. Brilliant and frosted surfaces of this lustrous near-Gem are essentially mark-free and fully struck, with sharp stars and full definition at the drapery and cap folds. Liberty's curls are razorsharp. The O-101 variety is quickly identified by the forecurls fused together by a broad, curved line, while the upright of 5 in the denomination is recut. Three Large Date, Large Letters varieties exist, but few coins of any variety can compete with this Choice example. Outstanding eye appeal and technical quality make it a candidate for an even finer grade.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 24FY, PCGS# 39905 Base PCGS# 6164

REEDED EDGE HALF DOLLARS

1837 Reeded Edge Half Dollar, MS64 Advanced Die State, Toned Type Coin





3701 1837 MS64 PCGS. A boldly struck near-Gem example of this popular type coin issue, showing vibrant cartwheel luster and mottled lilac and golden-gray toning with greenish accents. No major abrasions are seen. This piece is struck from eroded dies that weaken the border dentils and impart heavy flowlines throughout the fields. Most would-be die markers are thus rendered indiscernible, leaving the die variety of this piece to be attributed by the astute eye of its next owner. NGC ID# 24G4, PCGS# 6176

1837 Half Dollar, MS63 GR-24, Condition Census Quality





3702 1837 GR-24, R.2, MS63 PCGS. Die lines around the top of the eagle's left (facing) wing and within the left part of the shield verticals aid in attribution. GR-24 is a plentiful variety that can be located in high grades. This softly lustrous Select example qualifies for the low end of the Condition Census. Gold-toned interiors merge with shades of violet and cobalt-blue around the borders. The portrait, most stars, and the eagle show strong detail. Minimally abraded. NGC ID# 24G4, PCGS# 531078 Base PCGS# 6176

1838 GR-11 Half Dollar, MS64 Among the Finest for the Variety





3703 1838 GR-11, R.1, MS64 PCGS. The left edge of the upper loop of the second 8 in the date is recut. Wheat-gold, dove-gray, and sea-green patina gently graces this satiny Choice Uncirculated half dollar. Abrasions are absent save for a slender, minor mark near the profile. A good strike with strong centers and only infrequent incompleteness at the borders. Tied for second on the Condition Census among GR-11 halves.

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2013), lot 3492; ANA Sale (Stack's Bowers, 8/2013), lot 2160. PCGS# 531092 Base PCGS# 6177

1838 GR-13 Half Dollar, MS64 Reeded Edge Bust Type Coin





3704 1838 GR-13, R.1, MS64 PCGS. This variety has a reverse peripheral die crack that runs from HALF to the first A in AMERICA. The present example shows die erosion also around the obverse border, where the dentils are fuzzy. Luster is satiny and multicolor toning graces each side. Strike sharpness is generally pleasing. NGC ID# 24G5, PCGS# 531094 Base PCGS# 6177

SEATED HALF DOLLARS

1842 Large Letters Half Dollar, MS63 Small Date, Cud over TAT





3705 1842 Small Date, Large Letters, WB-102, Die Pair 7, R.2, MS63 PCGS. There are two major reverse types for the 1842 half dollar: one with Small Letters and the new type introduced that year with Large Letters in the legend, as here. This example is cracked through the date (and elsewhere) and shows a large die cud over TAT in STATES, representing the most collectible of the 1842 Small Date, Large Letters half dollar varieties. Liberty's chest and the eagle's left leg are typically incomplete, but the rest of this brilliant and lustrous offering is well-struck. Golden blushes occur around parts of the rim. Population: 8 in 63 (1 in 63+), 9 finer (1/20). PCGS# 572012 Base PCGS# 6240

1847/6 Half Dollar, Fine 12 FS-301, Guide Book Variety





3706 1847/6 WB-102, FS-301, Die Pair 9, R.5, Fine 12 PCGS. Two die pairs are known for this sought-after *Guide Book* variety. Both feature the same obverse with remnants of 1 46 clear below the primary digits. The reverse for Die Pair 9 is extensively cracked through the reverse legend. Repunching remains strong on this well-circulated Seated half dollar. Attractive violet-gray and golden patina covers smooth surfaces. A couple of marks near the top of the 1 serve as pedigree identifiers.

From The McDonald Family Collection. NGC ID# 24HA, PCGS# 147889 Base PCGS# 6258

1855-O Arrows Half, MS64 Dazzling White Surfaces





3707 1855-O Arrows, WB-101, Die Pair Indeterminate, MS64 PCGS. CAC. The obverse is the WB-6 die, although the reverse does not show any of the diagnostics for that variety other than mintmark placement. There are extensive die cracks around the reverse periphery that do not exactly match those of any listed reverse die, suggesting that this may very well be a Die Pair 6 coin in a very late state of the reverse die.

The 1855-O had a substantial mintage of 3.6 million pieces, enough that several dozen pieces were preserved in high grades. This is an all-white example that is sharply defined. A few small abrasions are present, but none are of individual import.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2011), lot 3793.

From The Triplets Collection. PCGS# 801295 Base PCGS# 6283

3708 1873-CC Arrows, Open 3, Small CC, WB-102, Die Pair 3, R.4, XF40 PCGS. Medium gray-brown, with darker patina near the obverse and reverse peripheral devices. A well defined, fully original example with just one noticeable abrasion, between and just below stars 9 and 10 on the upper right obverse. PCGS# 572215 Base PCGS# 6344

1873-CC Arrows Half Dollar, AU55 In-Demand Carson City Type





3709 1873-CC Arrows, Open 3, Small CC, WB-102, Die Pair 3, R.4, AU55 NGC. The 1 in the date is right of the shield point, and a wedge-shaped die defect occurs within Liberty's drapery northeast of the Y. This in-demand two-year Carson City type issue claims a mintage of 214,560 coins. A pleasing Choice AU example like the present offering would make an ideal alternative to the few conditionally rare Mint State survivors that exist. Antique goldengray patina and partial luster characterize smooth, strongly detailed surfaces, generating excellent eye appeal. A trace of softness appears on Liberty's head. Census (all Arrows varieties): 9 in 55, 21 finer (1/20). PCGS# 572215 Base PCGS# 6344

1873-S Arrows Half Dollar, MS61 Prooflike Important Branch Mint Issue





3710 1873-S Arrows, WB-101, Die Pair 1, High R.3, MS61 Prooflike NGC. The 1873-S is a better date in the Seated half dollar series. Mint records indicate a coinage of 5,000 pieces without arrows at the date, but that issue is not known in any collection. The only known 1873-S halves are With Arrows coins, and these are rare in Mint State. The piece offered here is the only Prooflike coin at NGC (1/20). The fields are deeply reflective on both sides, complementing sharp design elements. No toning is seen. Census: 0 in 61, 9 finer; 1 in 61 Prooflike, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 5PDR, PCGS# 572217 Base PCGS# 6345

1875-S Seated Half, MS65 Radiantly Sharp and Attractive





3711 1875-S Very Small S, WB-101, Die Pair 16, R.3, MS65 NGC. A brilliant and frosted Gem, with vibrant and flashy silver luster and the faintest gold overtones, especially on the reverse. This Very Small S mintmark variety is one of 22 die pairs used to strike 3.2 million pieces. Despite the huge mintage, Gem 1875-S Seated halves are scarce regardless of variety. This sharply struck example shows virtually no field abrasions, with a tiny mark on Liberty's cheek and another on her shin. Census: 28 in 65 (1 in 65+), 8 finer (1/20). PCGS# 800929 Base PCGS# 6351

1876 Half Dollar, MS65 Original Luster and Toning





3712 1876 Open Bud, WB-101, MS65 PCGS. The frosty luster of this Gem 1876 Seated half dollar is original yielding dusky pearl-gray toning over the interiors with sea-green and gold color around the borders. A well-struck piece, showing few measurable abrasions. The 1876 is a common date in lower grades, but Gems are scarce, and finer pieces are rarely seen. Population: 25 in 65 (4 in 65+), 7 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 645N, PCGS# 572234 Base PCGS# 6352

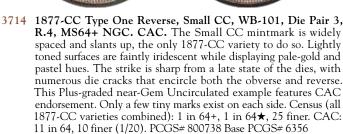
1877/6 Seated Half, MS64 FS-301, Rare *Guide Book* Variety Tied for Finest Known



3713 1877/6 FS-301 MS64 PCGS. Ex: The Dick Osburn Collection. "Surface overdating" of a 6 over the final 7 in the date is visible only on a few highly graded examples of this unusual 1877 variety, which is listed in both Cherrypickers' and the 2020 Guide Book. The recent Bowers' reference, A Guide Book of Liberty Seated Silver Coins, gives it a full listing as well. Similar surface doubling and overdating occurs in other series, particularly among some Morgan dollar issues, and overlays confirm the top portion of a 6 does indeed appear on the flag of 7 on this seldom-seen Seated half overdate. Frosted, sharply struck devices contrast with brilliant, semireflective surfaces, with narrow crescents of reddish-gold border toning on both sides. This example is tied for finest known of the variety, and commands a strong premium as such (1/20). From The Dick Osburn Collection. PCGS# 396592 Base PCGS#

1877-CC Half Dollar, MS64+ Sharply Struck, Light Original Toning, CAC





1884 Half Dollar, MS65 Only 4,400 Coins Produced





3715 1884 Repunched Date, WB-102, MS65 PCGS. All of the 4,400 business strikes produced in 1884 show faint repunching on the base of the 4. This Gem half dollar displays blue, violet, and golden toning around the obverse border. Similar patina is much lighter around the reverse, and the interiors on each side are mostly brilliant. Fully struck. Population: 18 in 65, 32 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 24KX, PCGS# 572269 Base PCGS# 6366

1891 Half Dollar, MS65 Last of the Seated Series





3716 1891 WB-101 MS65 NGC. Razor-sharp and brilliant-white, this Gem 1891 is supremely lustrous throughout both sides, with negligible abrasions and no distracting marks of any kind. Faint die clashing is seen beneath Liberty's elbow. One of just 200,000 pieces struck, with fewer than a dozen pieces numerically finer at NGC. Census: 20 in 65 (2 in 65★), 11 finer (1/20). PCGS# 572276 Base PCGS# 6373

PROOF SEATED HALF DOLLARS

1879 Half Dollar, PR66 Low Total-Mintage Date





3717 1879 PR66 PCGS. When rotated under a light, dusky violet surfaces reveal luminous rainbow toning in shades of orange, yellow, violet, pink, blue, and green. Eye appeal is outstanding. The fields flash vibrantly beneath the colorful overlay, and the design elements are predictably strong for a proof Seated half dollar, of which 1,100 pieces were struck in 1879. Proofs of this year tend to serve as high-grade alternatives to their low-mintage business-strike counterparts. NGC ID# 27UE, PCGS# 6440

1890 Seated Liberty Half Dollar, PR65 Nicely Toned Cameo Example





3718 1890 PR65 Cameo NGC. Only 590 proof Seated Liberty half dollars were struck in 1890. This impressive Gem displays sharply detailed frosty design elements that contrast boldly with the deeply reflective fields. The well-preserved surfaces are visited by vivid shades of pale gold, sea-green, and cerulean-blue toning. Census: 13 in 65 Cameo, 14 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 27US, PCGS# 86451

BARBER HALF DOLLARS

1896-O Half Dollar, MS62 Attractively Toned Better Date in This Grade





3719 1896-O MS62 NGC. A satiny Mint State example of this conditionally scarce New Orleans issue, showing golden interiors surrounded by blue and violet borders. The only strike weakness is seen on the right shield corner, where it is minor. A few minor marks on Liberty's cheek limit the grade, and there is also a notable abrasion on the right shield corner, but for the grade this 1896-O half dollar is remarkably appealing. Census: 3 in 62, 18 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24LW, PCGS# 6475

1898 Half Dollar, MS66+ Elusive Condition Rarity





3720 1898 MS66+ PCGS. Despite a high mintage of nearly 3 million coins, the 1898 Barber half dollar is rarely found in grades that exceed the Gem level. This Premium Gem has attractive gold and iridescent toning with brilliant underlying mint luster. The Set Registry collector who seeks the finest quality would do well to consider this beauty. Population: 16 in 66 (6 in 66+), 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24M3, PCGS# 6480

1899-S Half Dollar, MS64 Well-Struck, Golden Toning





3721 1899-S MS64 PCGS. The 1899-S falls somewhere in the middle of Barber half dollar issues in terms of availability. It is scarce but obtainable in Choice Uncirculated condition and only falls out of reach above the Gem grade level. This well-struck example boasts frosty luster and golden toning over each side. The stars, talons, fletchings, and shield are bold with just a hint of softness at the upper right corner where the shield meets the wing. Minimally abraded. NGC ID# 24M8, PCGS# 6485

PROOF BARBER HALF DOLLARS

1894 Half Dollar, Brilliant PR67 Cameo





3722 1894 PR67 Cameo NGC. A mintage of 972 proofs ranks among the highest totals in the series, second only to the first-year 1892. This all-brilliant Superb Gem delivers the pronounced white-on-black contrast collectors enjoy. Raised design elements are richly frosted and surrounded by reflective fields. The obverse features a complete impression, while minor incompleteness occurs on the eagle's neck and the right shield-wing juncture. Census: 15 in 67 Cameo (1 in 67+), 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24NW, PCGS# 86541

3723 1904 PR64 NGC. A few hints of sea-green and violet toning enhance the well-preserved, mostly brilliant surfaces of this impressive Choice proof, with sharply detailed design elements and deeply mirrored fields throughout. Census: 78 in 64, 88 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 24P8, PCGS# 6551

1910 Barber Half Dollar, PR67 Only 551 Pieces Struck





3724 1910 PR67 NGC. A meager mintage of 551 proof Barber half dollars was accomplished at the Philadelphia Mint in 1910 and this spectacular Superb Gem is among the most attractive survivors. The design elements are sharply detailed and the virtually flawless surfaces are enhanced by vivid shades of emerald-green and cerulean-blue toning. Deeply mirrored fields shine through the patina. Census: 21 in 67 (1 in 67★), 7 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 26A4, PCGS# 6557

WALKING LIBERTY HALF DOLLARS

1916 Half Dollar, MS65+ Remarkably Sharp and Frosty





3725 1916 MS65+ PCGS. CAC. A faint trace of iridescence graces the otherwise brilliant, frosty surfaces of this high-end Gem, with only a few unobtrusive luster grazes visible. The strike is full, and is particularly appreciated on the eagle's trailing leg, which is often incompletely defined even on coins with full thumb separation on the obverse. CAC-approved first-year Walkers are scarce in Gem and finer grades. CAC: 45 in 65, 35 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24PL, PCGS# 6566

1917-S Obverse Mintmark Half Mattelike MS62





3726 1917-S Obverse Mintmark MS62 ANACS. Many of the earliest Walking Liberty half dollar issues are frequently seen with mattelike luster, as is the case with this Obverse Mintmark 1917-S. Tan-gold toning warms each side, and abrasions are minimal for the grade. The surfaces are satiny and pleasing. The mintmark was moved to the reverse later in the year, creating two varieties of the 1917-S Walker. NGC ID# 26G7, PCGS# 6572

1917-S Half Dollar, MS64 Obverse Mintmark





3727 1917-S Obverse Mintmark MS64 PCGS. A satiny, champagnetinted near-Gem with wisps of silvery-blue color throughout. Abrasions are minimal and eye appeal is pleasing. Trivial strike softness on Liberty's branch hand and the eagle's trailing let is hardly noticed beneath a loupe. The Obverse Mintmark variant of this early San Francisco issue is seldom offered in finer condition. NGC ID# 26G7, PCGS# 6572

1917-S Half Dollar, MS64 Obverse Mintmark





3728 1917-S Obverse Mintmark MS64 PCGS. This is an impressive Choice Mint State example that is rarely found finer. PCGS has certified only 49 numerically finer examples (1/20). This piece has delicate gold toning over frosty mint luster on the obverse with brilliant and frosty silver luster on the reverse. NGC ID# 26G7, PCGS# 6572

1918-D Walking Liberty Half, MS64 Rarely Seen Finer





3729 1918-D MS64 PCGS. The 1918-D Walker circulated extensively, so its mintage of more than 3.8 million coins did not yield a high Mint State survivorship. Coins are collectible in MS64, but finer pieces are rare. This near-Gem displays original mint luster and light golden toning. The obverse has additional russet and olive hues in a mottled pattern. Strike sharpness is slight weak on the branch hand and the eagle's trailing leg, as usual, although Liberty's head is well-defined. PCGS lists 33 finer submissions (1/20). NGC ID# 24PW, PCGS# 6575

1919 Half Dollar, MS64 Conditionally Scarce Early Issue





3730 1919 MS64 PCGS. Most of the early Walking Liberty half dollars, those struck in the teens and twenties, are conditionally elusive in Gem or finer grades, and the 1919 is certainly no exception. PCGS has only examined 87 submissions that have earned higher numerical grades (1/20). This Choice Mint State half dollar exhibits full cartwheel luster that shines through is gray-gold and russet toning on both sides. An excellent opportunity for the Registry collector. NGC ID# 24PY, PCGS# 6577

1919 Walking Liberty Half, MS65 Frosty, Brilliant Mint Luster





3731 1919 MS65 NGC. A lovely Gem example, showing frosty, luminous mint luster and untoned, brilliant surfaces. A touch of strike weakness on Liberty's branch hand is not bothersome. This issue is scarce in MS65 and rarely seen finer, yet, it is the most plentiful issue in high grade from any mint this year. Census: 33 in 65, 12 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24PY, PCGS# 6577

1919-D Half Dollar, MS62 Exceptionally Smooth Luster





3732 1919-D MS62 NGC. The satiny luster of this 1919-D Walker displays remarkably few noticeable abrasions for the grade, with pearl-white interiors that cede to lemon-gold borders. Typical of the issue, there is considerable strike softness in the centers that affects Liberty's branch hand and leg, as well as the eagle's breast and trailing leg, and this likely contributes to an otherwise conservative grade from NGC. Students of this series will find the strike weakness to be "the name of the game" for this issue and will view this piece on its surface and luster quality, both of which are outstanding. NGC ID# 24PZ, PCGS# 6578

1919-D Walking Liberty Half Dollar, MS62 Rare Issue in High Grade





3733 1919-D MS62 NGC. From a mintage of 1.1 million pieces, the 1919-D Walking Liberty half dollar is a leading condition rarity in high grade. This impressive MS62 specimen offers well-detailed design elements, with a touch of the usual softness on Liberty's wreath hand and the eagle's leg. The lightly marked surfaces are lustrous and lightly toned. NGC ID# 24PZ, PCGS# 6578

1919-S Half Dollar, MS62 Challenging San Francisco Issue





3734 1919-S MS62 NGC. Speckles of olive-green and tan patina run over the bright obverse surfaces of this S-mint half, while the reverse takes on a slightly deeper shade of the same color palette. The design elements are better struck than usually seen, with good definition showing on the left hand and adjacent branches. A few minute, unobtrusive marks are noted on the obverse. Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2008), lot 2097. NGC ID# 24R2, PCGS# 6579

1920-D Half Dollar, MS64 Challenging Denver Issue in High Grade





3735 1920-D MS64 NGC. Satiny luster yields light yellow-gold toning over each side of this near-Gem example, complementing a lack of bothersome abrasions. The often-seen strike softness affects Liberty's branch hand and leg, but the overall definition is pleasing. The 1920-D Walker is seldom offered in finer condition. Census: 81 in 64 (2 in 64+, 5 in 64★), 16 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24R4, PCGS# 6581

1920-D Half Dollar, MS64 Satiny Mint Luster, CAC-Approved





3736 1920-D MS64 PCGS. CAC. This 1920-D half dollar is distinctly satiny compared to its S-mint counterpart. The strike shows incompleteness at the central reverse and on the eagle's trail leg, but the date and Liberty's head are bold. Both sides maintain their brilliance with few splashes of lilac-gold color. Void of individually distracting flaws. Examples of the 1920-D Walker scarcely show up in better condition. NGC ID# 24R4, PCGS# 6581

1920-S Half Dollar, MS64+ Fully Brilliant and Frosty





3737 1920-S MS64+ PCGS. CAC. The population of 1920-S half dollars consists mainly of well-circulated coins, but there is a small group of Mint State survivors to which this frosty near-Gem belongs. Almost qualifying for the next highest grade level, each side exhibits virtually unmarked fields and complete mint brilliance. The incomplete strike probably stands in the way of a full Gem assessment. NGC ID# 24R5, PCGS# 6582

1921 Half Dollar, MS62 Frosty Original Mint Luster





3738 1921 MS62 NGC. Luster is much more luminous and frosty on this 1921 half dollar than is typical of the MS62 grade. Light champagne toning tints each side, and strike sharpness is excellent. There are a few marks in the right obverse field that limit the grade but do not overly detract. There are also a few carbon flecks on the reverse. NGC ID# 24R6, PCGS# 6583

1923-S Half Dollar, Lightly Toned MS64 Elusive in Finer Grades





3739 1923-S MS64 PCGS. Satiny luster is original on this near-Gem example, showing warm golden and russet toning. Surprisingly few abrasions are seen beneath a loupe, although considerable strike weakness in the centers likely contributes to the grade from PCGS. A pleasing example of this better San Francisco issue.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 24R9, PCGS# 6586

1923-S Walking Liberty Half Dollar, MS64 Lightly Marked Lustrous Surfaces





3740 1923-S MS64 NGC. CAC. The surfaces of this exceptional piece display bright, flashy mint frost, undoubtedly one of the reasons CAC endorsed this coin. The central details are soft, as usual, and there are just a couple of field marks that explain the MS64 grade. The 1923-S has a mintage of only 2.1 million pieces and is worth a substantial premium right down to Good.

Ex: Houston Signature (Heritage, 12/2010), lot 3734. NGC ID# 24R9, PCGS# 6586

1927-S Walker, Satiny MS64 Elusive With CAC Endorsement





3741 1927-S MS64 PCGS. CAC. Satiny luster displays warm yellow-gold toning on this near-Gem, while abrasions are largely nonexistent in prime focal areas. The CAC endorsement is well-deserved. This piece shows the typical 1927-S strike softness in the centers, affecting Liberty's leg and branch hand as well as the eagle's trailing leg. Eye appeal is nonetheless pleasing. Higher-grade pieces are scarce. CAC: 47 in 64, 27 finer (12/19).

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 24RA, PCGS# 6587

1929-D Half Dollar, MS66 Seldom Offered CAC Coin





3742 1929-D MS66 PCGS. CAC. Plentiful in grades through MS65, the 1929-D Walking Liberty half dollar becomes conditionally scarce in MS66, and it is rare in this grade with CAC endorsement. Only a handful of finer coins are known. This piece glistens with original, frosted mint luster, and it yields impressively sharp design elements. The reverse is brilliant, while the obverse displays dusky russet toning. NGC ID# 24RC, PCGS# 6589

1929-S Walking Liberty Half, MS66 Rarely Seen Finer





3743 1929-S MS66 NGC. The frosty design elements of this remarkable Premium Gem are particularly well-struck for this challenging pre-Depression issue and the well-preserved surfaces are untoned save for a touch of dappled patina on the reverse. Census: 34 in 66 (3 in 66+, 1 in 66★, 1 in 66+★), 4 finer (12/19). Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2005), lot 7692. NGC ID# 24RD, PCGS# 6590

1933-S Walking Liberty Half Dollar, MS66 Sole Issue for the Year, Natural Eye Appeal





3744 1933-S MS66 PCGS. CAC. Famously the only issue struck in 1933 during the depths of the Great Depression. S-mint output amounted 1.7 million half dollars. Although Premium Gems are out there, demand for them significantly exceeds supply. Anything finer than MS66 is conditionally rare. Each side is frosty and mainly brilliant with translucent golden blushes. This well-struck semikey would fit nicely in any fine set of high-grade Walkers. PCGS reports 18 finer submissions (1/20). NGC ID# 24RE, PCGS# 6591

1934-S Half Dollar, Exceptional MS66 Seldom Seen With CAC Endorsement





3745 1934-S MS66 PCGS. CAC. Light rose-gold patina graces both sides of this exceptionally well-preserved and powerfully struck Premium Gem 1934-S half dollar. Liberty's head, the branch hand, and the eagle all boast a wealth of detail seldom seen even on this generally well-produced issue. PCGS reports only 12 Superb Gems finer. CAC: 33 in 66, 5 finer (1/20).

Ex Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2016), lot 4344. NGC ID# 24RH, PCGS# 6594

1935 Half Dollar, MS67+ Registry Set Quality





3746 1935 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. Hints of iridescence dance throughout satiny champagne luster on this high-end Superb Gem, while the design elements exhibit nearly full definition. There are no distracting abrasions. The 1935 Walker is scarce in MS67 and prohibitively so any finer. Population: 68 in 67 (8 in 67+), 2 finer. CAC: 35 in 67, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24RJ, PCGS# 6595

1935-D Half Dollar, MS66+ None Finer at PCGS





3747 1935-D MS66+ PCGS. Although the 1935-D half dollar is fairly plentiful in the absolute sense, the availability of Premium Gem examples is rather slim and none have been certified finer at PCGS (1/20). This Plus-graded example displays frosty ice-blue luster with warm olive-gold overtones that deepen over the lower-left obverse and upper-left reverse borders. The central high points are a touch soft, but the surfaces are free of major abrasions. Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2016), lot 5781. NGC ID# 24RK, PCGS# 6596

1935-S Half Dollar, MS66+ Rare Any Finer





3748 1935-S MS66+ PCGS. CAC. The 1935-S Walker is only marginally scarce in MS66 and lower grades, but finer pieces are nothing short of rare. This Plus-designated representative exhibits radiant, frosty luster that is virtually free of any perceptible color. Liberty's branch hand shows partial thumb separation, and the surfaces are devoid of significant contact marks. Only four coins are numerically finer at PCGS (1/20).

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2015), lot 5138; Dallas ANA Signature (Heritage, 3/2016), lot 4939. NGC ID# 24RL, PCGS# 6597

1938-D Half Dollar, MS67 Low-Mintage Issue





3749 1938-D MS67 PCGS. The Denver Mint inexplicably produced just 491,600 half dollars in 1938, the lowest mintage of any Walking Liberty half dollar issue after 1921. This Superb Gem is an extraordinary beauty, and it is tied for the finest certified at PCGS or NGC. Both sides display brilliant silver luster with a crescent of gold toning at the lower obverse. Population: 60 in 67 (6 in 67+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24RV, PCGS# 6605

1939-S Walking Liberty Half, MS67+ Outstanding Registry Set Contender





3750 1939-S MS67+ PCGS. CAC. The 1939-S Walking Liberty half dollar claims a smallish mintage of 2.5 million pieces and few survivors can match the high technical quality and eye appeal of this Plus-graded Superb Gem. The design elements are sharply detailed throughout and vibrant mint luster radiates from both sides. The virtually pristine surfaces display a few hints of jade-gold toning, with incredible visual appeal. PCGS has graded one numerically finer example (1/20). NGC ID# 24RY, PCGS# 6608

1940 Walking Liberty Half, MS67+ Nicely Toned, CAC Approved





3751 1940 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. Delicate shades of emerald-green and lavender-gray toning enhance the virtually flawless surfaces of this Plus-graded Superb Gem, with vibrant mint luster underneath. The design elements are sharply detailed through out and overall eye appeal is terrific. PCGS has graded 30 numerically finer examples (12/19). NGC ID# 24RZ, PCGS# 6609

1941-D Walking Liberty Half, MS67+ Rarely Seen Finer





3752 1941-D MS67+ PCGS. CAC. A light silver-gold example with remarkably bold strike definition and lovely shimmering mint luster. The reverse is pristine and the obverse shows just a couple of pinpoint-sized marks in the right field that you will need a magnifier in order to see. PCGS has graded two numerically finer examples (1/20). Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2014), lot 4233. NGC ID# 24S4. PCGS# 6612 Base PCGS# 6612

1941-S Walking Liberty Half, MS67 Impeccably Preserved, Lustrous Surfaces





3753 1941-S MS67 NGC. From a mintage of 8 million pieces, the 1941-S is the key to the 1941-1947 short set of Walking Liberty half dollars. This spectacular Superb Gem is among the finest certified examples, surpassed only by a single MS67+ example at NGC (1/20). This coin shows a typical strike for the issue, with some of the usual softness on Liberty's wreath hand and the eagle's leg. The virtually flawless brilliant surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster throughout. NGC ID# 24S5, PCGS# 6613 Base PCGS# 6613

1943-S Half Dollar, MS67 Among the Finest Certified





3754 1943-S MS67 PCGS. CAC. The 1943-S is the most challenging Walking Liberty half dollar for the year in high grades by a mile. Unlike the 1943 and 1943-D, this San Francisco issue is scarce in Superb Gem condition and none are graded numerically higher. Frosted surfaces remain largely brilliant with golden accents at the right obverse border. Minor central softness is typical. Population: 57 in 67 (3 in 67+), 0 finer. CAC: 27 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24SB, PCGS# 6620

1944 Half Dollar, MS67+ Only Two Finer at PCGS





3755 1944 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. This extraordinary Superb Gem exhibits brilliant silver luster on both sides with pristine white surfaces and a touch of peripheral gold toning. The design elements are well-detailed. with a touch of the usual softness on Liberty's wreath hand. PCGS has certified 30 of these half dollars in MS67+, and only two finer submissions (1/20). CAC: 75 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). Ex: New York Signature (Heritage, 10/2016), lot 5316. NGC ID# 24SC, PCGS# 6621

1945 Half Dollar, MS67+ Tied for Finest at Both Services





3756 1945 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. This late-date Walking Liberty half dollar issue is readily collectible through Superb Gem condition. However, none are graded MS68 at PCGS or NGC combined, and this example ranks among the finest certified by the margin of the Plus designation. This faintly gold-toned example also enjoys CAC's endorsement for quality within the grade. Minor marks are essentially limited to the eagle's trail leg. The only singular abrasion is a tick on Liberty's neck. Both sides are lustrous and beautifully preserved. An important top-graded survivor from a mintage of 31.5 million coins. NGC ID# BYKU, PCGS# 6624 Base PCGS# 6624

1947 Half Dollar, MS67 Lightly Toned, None Numerically Finer





3757 1947 MS67 PCGS. CAC. Lightly toned in golden-orange and powder-blue patina, this final-year Superb Gem Walker enjoys exquisite eye appeal and unsurpassed technical quality. The coin is nearly fully struck without any marks worthy of individual attention. None numerically finer at PCGS or NGC. CAC: 25 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24SM, PCGS# 6630

PROOF WALKING LIBERTY HALF DOLLAR

1939 Walking Liberty Half, PR68+★ Uniquely Attractive, Virtually Flawless Proof





3758 1939 PR68+★ NGC. The only proof in this grade at NGC that is both Plus and Star designated. Eye appeal and technical quality are both simply outstanding, with concentric bands of pastel rainbow toning covering liquidlike fields and satiny devices on both sides. The coin is fully struck and virtually flawless. The toning makes it, perhaps, even more attractive than it was when it left the mint. A lone PR69 coin is listed finer at NGC (1/20). NGC ID# 5ESU, PCGS# 6639

FRANKLIN HALF DOLLARS

1955 Half Dollar, MS67 Full Bell Lines Remarkably Clean Surfaces





3759 1955 MS67 Full Bell Lines PCGS. The 1955 has the lowest mintage in the series with only 2.49 million pieces produced. Most examples are baggy and show incomplete bell lines. This piece appears to have originated in a mint set, judging from the depth of toning on each side. The surfaces are remarkably clean and bright mint luster radiates beneath the layers of toning. Population: 13 in 67 Full Bell Lines, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24TC, PCGS# 86670

1955 Franklin Half, MS67 FS-401, 'Bugs Bunny' Toned Obverse, CAC Approved





3760 1955 Bugs Bunny, FS-401, MS67 PCGS. CAC. The so-called "Bugs Bunny" variety, showing a couple of tiny die lines at Franklin's lips. This piece is endorsed by CAC in the lofty MS67. It is the single finest non-Full Bell Lines example of the variety at PCGS (1/20). Original, dappled toning covers the obverse in forest-green, crimson, and olive-russet toning, while the reverse remains brilliant. The coin is nearly sharp enough to warrant an FBL designation. NGC ID# 24TC, PCGS# 145357 Base PCGS# 6670

PROOF FRANKLIN HALF DOLLARS

1950 Franklin Half, PR67+ Beautiful CAC-Endorsed Condition Rarity





3761 1950 PR67+ PCGS. CAC. The Plus designation sets this piece apart from the majority of its peers. PCGS has awarded the Plus symbol to just 21 non-Cameo Superb Gem proofs of this date, with a lone PR68 coin finer. CAC endorsements are also difficult to find at this level. The present coin is essentially brilliant, showing frosted devices and glimmering fields. Preservation is virtually flawless. CAC: 84 in 67, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 27VA, PCGS# 6691

1954 Franklin Half, PR69 Cameo Tied for the Finest Numerically Certified





3762 1954 PR69 Cameo NGC. This unsurpassed Superb Gem Cameo proof displays the strong strike and near-perfect surfaces expected for such a high numeric grade. Flawless black mirrors surround the frosted devices with seemingly unimprovable brilliance and charismatic eye appeal. Census: 12 in 69 Cameo (2 in 69★), 0 finer (12/19). Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2013), lot 5024. NGC ID# 6L9R, PCGS# 86695

EARLY DOLLARS

1795 Flowing Hair Dollar, VF Details B-1, BB-21, Two Leaves Inconspicuous 'E' Counterstamp





3763 1795 Flowing Hair, Two Leaves, B-1, BB-21, R.2 — Damage — PCGS Genuine. VF Details. "Bowers Die State II" — an unlisted die state, with clash marks near Liberty's nose and forehead, plus signs of die lapping to remove the clash marks. While the Genuine PCGS holder notes Damage, the designation may refer to a small E counterstamp on the reverse between UNITED and STATES. A few unobtrusive, tiny planchet defects cluster at the first A in AMERICA and on the rim above AM. Otherwise, Choice surfaces retain traces of mint luster beneath pleasing, bluish-gray toning, with grade-consistent wear on the central devices and a few light abrasions beneath the attractive patina. From The McDonald Family Collection.

1795 Flowing Hair Dollar, Fine 12 Three Leaves, B-6, BB-25





3764 1795 Flowing Hair, Three Leaves, B-6, BB-25, R.3, Fine 12 NGC. Bowers Die State III, with four leaves beneath the first S in STATES. This 1795 Flowing Hair die variety has a Three Leaves reverse, and the curl above star 1 terminates before the innermost point. The finer details of the portrait and eagle are worn away, but strong outlines remain. A blend of antique gold and multicolor tones covers each side. Generally smooth with a couple of thin linear marks in the upper obverse field and an expected number of small ticks. BB-25 ranks among the most collectible varieties for the second year of silver dollar production. NGC ID# 24WZ, PCGS# 39975 Base PCGS# 6852

1795 Draped Bust Dollar, VF25 B-14, BB-51, Off-Center Portrait





3765 1795 Draped Bust, Off-Center, B-14, BB-51, R.2, VF25 PCGS. Bowers Die State 1. Silver-gray surfaces deepen slightly around the raised devices of this BB-51 example, representing the Mint's first attempt to adapt Robert Scot's Draped Bust design to the silver dollar format. Although Liberty's portrait was placed too far left in the field (a situation soon corrected), there were few other problems with the new design. This is a solid midgrade coin shows only microscopic abrasions and tiny nicks. A few Mint-made adjustment marks sit on the rim outside of stars 12 and 13, while a shallow obverse rim bump at 8 o'clock is the only other mark of note. All else is sharp and pleasing for the assigned grade.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 24X2, PCGS# 39996 Base PCGS# 96858

1796 B-4, BB-61 Dollar, XF Details Small Date, Large Letters, Early Die State





3766 1796 Small Date, Large Letters, B-4, BB-61, R.3 — Obverse Damage — NGC Details. XF. Bowers Die State I. The lapped forecurl shows three arcs in this usual die state. The most plentiful variety for the year has a Small Date and Large Letters reverse with a single leaf below the D in UNITED. A majority of survivors exist in VF and XF grades, with hundreds of heavily circulated examples also available to collectors. Definition on this piece is high-end with only moderate friction on the stars, portrait and eagle. Golden color glows around the devices, while the exposed areas display pleasing violet-gray patina. A dig behind Liberty's middle curls prevents a numeric assessment.

1796 Draped Bust Dollar, VF35 Large Date, Small Letters, B-5, BB-65





B767 1796 Large Date, Small Letters, B-5, BB-65, R.2, VF35 PCGS. Bowers Die State II, with a large die lump at I in AMERICA that touches C in later states. The letters T and E in STATES are widely separated and there is a leaf under the first S, identifying the popular B-5 variety. This Choice VF specimen retains much interior detail in Liberty's hair and the eagle's feathers and the pleasing lavender-gray surfaces are lightly abraded. Population (for the variety): 2 in 35, 16 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 24X3, PCGS# 40002 Base PCGS# 6861

1798 Large Eagle Dollar, VF25 Knob 9, 10 Arrows, 4 Vertical Lines Rare B-5, BB-93 Variety





3768 1798 Large Eagle, Knob 9, 10 Arrows, 4 Vertical Lines, B-5, BB-93, High R.6 VF25 NGC. Bowers Die State III. This variety is usually identifiable the the ever-present die crack that runs down from the right of STATES to the rim right of the tailfeathers. Only 30 to 50 BB-93 dollars are believed extant, and this VF25 representative just barely misses out on qualifying for the Condition Census. As usual, the right side of the reverse is well-struck, while the area left of the crack is softer. A couple of small digs occur in the field above Liberty's well-circulated but still nicely detailed portrait. Stone-gray surfaces are otherwise smooth. This is the finest BB-93 dollar we have handled since 1999. Specialist collectors should take advantage of this rare opportunity. NGC ID# 4EGF, PCGS# 40013 Base PCGS# 40012

1798 B-23, BB-105 Dollar, XF40 Large Eagle, Pointed 9, Wide Date





1798 Large Eagle, Pointed 9, Wide Date, B-23, BB-105, R.3, XF40 NGC. Bowers Die State II. Cloud 3 lapped, but Liberty's curls near star 1 remain fully detailed. Few Early dollars are as collectible as the 1798 B-23, BB-105 variety. This is an attractive, lightly circulated XF40 type coin with strong definition and just a touch of the usual central softness. Golden patina dominates each side. Lavender-gray accents appear over the high points. NGC ID# 24X6, PCGS# 40022 Base PCGS# 40018

1800 Bust Dollar, XF40 B-17, BB-196, 12 Arrows Reverse





3770 1800 12 Arrows, B-17, BB-196, R.1, XF40 PCGS. Bowers Die State IV, as usual. Cracks appear at the left of the date and from star 6 to the ribbon. Clash marks are apparent at Liberty's neck. This lightly worn BB-196 dollar displays uniform pewter-gray patina and an even strike. No adjustment marks are visible, and detail is strong. An appealing 12 Arrows type coin. NGC ID# 24X9, PCGS# 40079 Base PCGS# 6890

1802 Narrow Date Dollar, VF35 B-6, BB-241





3771 1802 Narrow Date, B-6, BB-241, R.1, VF35 PCGS. Deep gray patina blankets this evenly struck and well-detailed Draped Bust type coin. Protected areas of the reverse display traces of aqua residue, and a faded thin mark precedes the U in UNITED. The demand for early dollars has risen considerably over the past 20 years, although relatively few numismatists dare to collect the series by die variety. Ex: National Money Show Signature (Heritage, 3/2010), lot 1207. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 24XB, PCGS# 40088 Base PCGS# 6895

SEATED DOLLARS

1843 Seated Dollar, MS63 Collectible No Motto Issue





3772 1843 MS63 PCGS. OC-2, R.1. The fourth issue in the Seated dollar series is also one of the most accessible among No Motto coins. Three reverse dies were paired with a single obverse die in the production of 165,100 circulation strikes. OC-2 features a number of horizontal die lines within the first vertical shield recess. Antique olive-gold and lilac-gray patina allows satiny mint luster to shine through. Liberty's head and a few of the upper stars are trivially incomplete, but the other devices are strongly rendered. NGC ID# 24YD, PCGS# 6929

1844 Silver Dollar, AU58 'Quad-Stripes' Obverse Doubling





3773 1844 AU58 NGC. OC-1, R.2. Only two die varieties are known for the 1844 Seated Liberty silver dollars. The variety with a doubled obverse die, known as the "Quad-Stripes" variety, produced all circulation strikes, while the other variety without obverse die doubling produced the proofs. On this obverse, each vertical shield stripe has four individual elements, described in heraldry as four pale gules. This satiny near-Mint example has lovely violet, gold, and blue toning over nearly full luster with excellent eye appeal. Census: 42 in 58, 21 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 24YE, PCGS# 6930

1862 Seated Dollar, MS62+ Delicately Toned





3774 1862 MS62+ PCGS. OC-1, R.3. The onset of the Civil War had an enormous impact on the circulation of silver and gold coinage in the East, and mintages adjusted accordingly. Only 12,090 Seated dollars were struck in 1862, of which 350 or so survive, per Osburn and Cushing. Each side of this Uncirculated representative is delicately toned in gold, lawder, and sea-green patina. Lightly abraded surfaces are softly lustrous with good detail, save for Liberty's head. NGC ID# 24Z5, PCGS# 6952

1870 Seated Dollar, MS64 Brilliant and Frosty





3775 1870 MS64 PCGS. OC-4, Low R.3. A small die lump left of the unfinished area under Liberty's chin confirms the attribution. This is an available Motto Seated dollar issue. Most collectors should be able to locate an example in the grade of their choosing up through MS64, while anything finer is conditionally rare. Each side of this near-Gem radiates bright mint frost from all-brilliant surfaces. There are a few well-hidden marks on Liberty's torso and a small rim bump on that side above star 9. The fields are smooth, and the devices show good detail. Population: 20 in 64 (1 in 64+), 7 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 24ZD, PCGS# 6963

1871-CC Seated Dollar, Fine Details Only 1,376 Coins Struck





3776 1871-CC — Harshly Cleaned — NGC Details. Fine. OC-1, High R.4. The 1871-CC Seated dollar is one of the keys to the series and the second most challenging Carson City issue after the 1873-CC. Only 1,376 coins were struck, of which perhaps 100 exemplars survive. This offering represents an affordable opportunity to add an 1871-CC to a collection of Seated dollars or Carson City coinage without breaking the bank. Both sides are unnaturally muted and extensively hairlined from an improper cleaning. The finer points of the design are worn away, but the major elements show strong outlines, and the date and mintmark

1872-CC Silver Dollar, Fine 12 OC-1, The Only Dies





3777 1872-CC Fine 12 NGC. OC-1, High R.3. Only one die pair was employed to strike silver dollars at the Carson City Mint in 1872, although the reverse die was previously used in 1870. The 1872 mintage was a mere 3,150 coins, and only a small percentage of those have survived. A few splashes of steel-blue toning appear on the light silver-gray surfaces of this attractive dollar that shows nothing more than the usual grade-consistent circulation marks. Census: 2 in 12, 81 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 24ZK, PCGS# 6969

1873-CC Seated Dollar, Good Details Low-Mintage Branch Mint Key





3778 1873-CC — Tooled — PCGS Genuine. Good Details. OC-1, High R.4. From a mintage of only 2,300 pieces, the 1873-CC Seated Liberty dollar is one of the most challenging issues of the series. The date and legends are legible on this evenly worn specimen and the design elements are complete in outline, but the motto is weak. Some tooling shows on the figure of Liberty and the shield. From The McDonald Family Collection.

PROOF SEATED DOLLAR

1868 Seated Dollar, PR63 **Original Multicolor Toning**





3779 1868 PR63 PCGS. OC-P1, R.4. Osburn-Cushing Die State a/a. A Top 30 Variety. The tops of widely misplaced digits appear on the rim, where an errant 18 confirms the proof variety. Richly toned in variegated iridescent colors, the mirrored fields of this Select proof surround glossy, similarly toned devices. The surfaces lack contrast but excel in eye appeal, especially when viewed at an advantageous angle that allows the deep-seated colors to shine forth. There are no distracting marks or hairlines to interrupt the high quality fields and devices. Just 600 proofs were struck. NGC ID# 252P, PCGS# 7016

TRADE DOLLARS

1874-CC Trade Dollar, MS63 Scarce Carson City Issue





3780 1874-CC MS63 PCGS. Small CC mintmark. Period after FINE. This unworn Carson City Trade dollar displays lustrous surfaces and minimal abrasions. Strike weakness is evident on Liberty's head and the adjacent stars. Near-brilliant, frosted surfaces display a few faint-gold accents supported by vibrant mint luster. Numerous die cracks traverse the legends on each side. Population: 45 in 63 (4 in 63+), 26 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2532, PCGS# 7035

1875 Trade Dollar, MS63 Elusive in Uncirculated Condition





3781 1875 Type Two Reverse MS63 PCGS. Period after FINE, as is normal for the circulation strike from this mint. The 1875 Trade dollar is scarcer in Mint State than either of the branch mint issues of this date, and Gems are major rarities. This collectible Select example displays brilliant, softly frosted luster and a bold strike, save for weakness on the eagle's talons. Scattered light abrasions are not bothersome. Population: 14 in 63, 34 finer (1/20). From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 2534, PCGS# 40107

Base PCGS# 7037

3782 1875-S/CC FS-501 MS61 NGC. A late die state with a prominent crack through the tops of MERICA and beyond. Remnants of the first C and much of the second C are visible to the left and right of the Large S mintmark. Adequately struck with frosty silver mint luster and a trace of gold toning along the left obverse border. Census for both S/CC varieties: 9 in 61, 15 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 2536, PCGS# 145813 Base PCGS# 7040

1877-S Trade Dollar, MS65 Rarely Seen Finer





3783 1877-8 MS65 NGC. Large S. An important Trade dollar offering for the Gem type collector, this is an untoned example with swirling cartwheel luster overall. The strike is razor sharp, aside from some slight softness on some star centers, an uncommon feature for the type. The surfaces are free of singularly bothersome abrasions. Worthy of a strong bid. Census: 27 in 65, 5 finer (12/19). Ex: Baltimore Signature (Heritage, 7/2003), lot 8334. NGC ID# 253E, PCGS# 7046

PROOF TRADE DOLLARS

1873 Trade Dollar, PR63 Cameo Scarce, First-Year Issue





3784 1873 PR63 Cameo PCGS. This proof Trade dollar issue, the first of 13 struck from 1873 to 1885, amounted to just 865 specimens. Both sides of this gleaming Select representative exhibit strong contrast despite hazy cream-gray patina that covers the peripheral areas and much of the devices. A number of light hairlines in the obverse fields limit the grade. Population: 20 in 63 (2 in 63+) Cameo, 19 finer (1/20).

Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 5/2007), lot 1004. NGC ID# 27YJ, PCGS# 87053

1873 Trade Dollar, PR64 Cameo Brilliant, Contrasted First-Year Coin





3785 1873 PR64 Cameo PCGS. The year 1873 saw the Standard silver dollar abolished and replaced with the Trade dollar, which was meant to circulate in the Far East. Proof production during the series' first year amounted to 600 specimens. Cameo examples are significantly scarcer than their non-Cameo counterparts. This near-Gem displays tremendous field reflectivity, and the raised design elements are thickly frosted. Each side is mainly brilliant with areas of duskiness and a scattering of minor hairlines. Population: 17 in 64 (2 in 64+) Cameo, 2 finer in this category (1/20). NGC ID# 27YJ, PCGS# 87053

1878 Trade Dollar, PR63 Cameo Proof-Only Philadelphia Issue





3786 1878 PR63 Cameo PCGS. CAC. The fields are clean on this 1878 Trade dollar, one of 900 pieces struck in proof format only at the Philadelphia Mint. Reflective fields contrast markedly against the razor-sharp, lightly frosted devices. Each side is brilliant with just a hint of dusky patina over the lower reverse. Three ticks on Liberty's left arm and chest likely preclude an even higher grade. NGC ID# 27YP, PCGS# 87058

1878 Trade Dollar, PR65 Ultra Cameo Sharp and Well-Contrasted





3787 1878 PR65 Ultra Cameo NGC. Carson City and San Francisco continued to coin circulation-strike Trade dollars into early 1878 before new dies arrived for the resurrected Standard Silver dollar, which had been discontinued in 1873. Philadelphia, however, struck only proofs this year, to the tune of 900 pieces. This Gem Cameo survivor displays fully struck design elements and stark contrast. The interiors are brilliant, surrounded by a trace of pale golden border toning. There is a small fleck under Liberty's outstretched hand, but no other imperfections are significant enough to act as pedigree markers. Census: 3 in 65 Ultra Cameo, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 27YP, PCGS# 97058

1879 Trade Dollar, PR64 Proof-Only Issue





3788 1879 PR64 PCGS. CAC. A rose-gray patina covers both sides of this near-Gem; however areas of reflectivity remain visible on the obverse. Closer examination of that side reveals copper-orange, sky-blue, fuchsia, and red colors. The design elements reveal only minor incompleteness. From a generous proof-only mintage of 1,541 pieces.

Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2013), lot 2483. NGC ID# 27YR, PCGS# 7059

3789 1883 PR62 NGC. This is the final collectible issue of the Trade dollar series and a low-mintage proof-only issue with just 979 pieces coined. Sharp design elements contrast with the fully mirrored fields of this example that displays minor contact marks on each side. The surfaces are brilliant, untoned, and attractive. NGC ID# 5DP8. PCGS# 7063

1883 Trade Dollar, PR65 Cameo Final Collectible Issue





3790 1883 PR65 Cameo NGC. From a proof-only mintage of 979 pieces, the 1883 Trade dollar is the final collectible issue of the series. This delightful Gem exhibits razor-sharp definition on all design elements, with full star centers and fine detail on Liberty's head. The well-preserved, brilliant surfaces include deeply reflective fields that contrast boldly with the frosty devices. Eye appeal is terrific. Census: 17 in 65 Cameo, 31 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 27YV, PCGS# 87063

MORGAN DOLLARS

1878 Dollar, MS65 Deep Mirror Prooflike 7/8TF, VAM-32, A Top 100 Variety





1878 7/8F VAM-32 MS65 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. A Top 100 Variety. Three tailfeathers are visible beneath the primary seven, and a die line appears within the three right most tailfeathers. According to VAMWorld.com: "The 1878-P VAM-32 is one of the more rare 7/8 tailfeather coins. The reverse is heavily polished as evidenced by the missing details in the tailfeathers. This polishing appears to have lead to amazing mirrored finishes as this coin often comes in DMPL or PL surfaces." This is such a coin, with brilliant and mirrorlike surfaces and faint wisps of dusky gold across each side. Razor-sharp at the centers and minimally abraded. PCGS# 40206 Base PCGS# 97075

1878 7/8TF Morgan Dollar, VAM-38 MS64 Deep Mirror Prooflike





3792 1878 7/8TF Strong, VAM-38, MS64 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. The overpolished area between the eagle's left (facing) leg and wing, and the five tailfeathers clear beneath the seven tailfeathers identify VAM-38. The obverse exhibits an extremely strong spread on the letters in LIBERTY. Deep Mirror Prooflike contrast is dramatic on each side, enhanced by the near total lack of toning, save for a few blushes of dusky red-gold. Housed in a green label holder. Population (for the variety): 2 in 64 Deep Mirror Prooflike, 0 finer (12/19). PCGS# 40220 Base PCGS# 97079

1878 7TF Morgan, Brilliant MS66 Reverse of 1878





3793 1878 7TF Reverse of 1878 MS66 PCGS. The brilliant, frosty luster of this radiant Premium Gem has the "icy" look that so many Morgan dollar collectors crave in an untoned coin. Cartwheel bands enliven each side, and the centers display incredible sharpness. The reverse is virtually flawless, while the obverse has the faintest grazes on Liberty's jaw that prevent absolute perfection. Eye appeal is exceptional. NGC ID# 2TY3, PCGS# 7074

1878 Morgan Dollar, MS66 Reverse of 1878, 7TF





3794 1878 7TF Reverse of 1878 MS66 PCGS. Rainbow toning around the borders gives way to fully brilliant interiors on this Seven Tailfeathers Reverse of 1878 Morgan dollar. The coin shows strong definition on the hair strands above Liberty's ear and on the eagle's breast feathers. Slight doubling occurs on the stars and obverse motto. Population: 67 in 66 (13 in 66+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2TY3, PCGS# 7074

1878-CC Morgan Dollar, MS66 Thick Blanket of Mint Frost





3795 1878-CC MS66 PCGS. A thick blanket of mint frost covers this untoned Carson City dollar from the first year of implementation for the famous George T. Morgan design. There are a couple of thin, superficial luster grazes, but generally the fields are extraordinarily clean. Both sides exhibit razor-sharp central definition. Parallel roller marks appear vertically on Liberty's chin. NGC ID# 253M, PCGS# 7080

1878-CC Morgan Dollar, MS66 Frosty, Brilliant CAC Coin





3796 1878-CC MS66 PCGS. CAC. Impressively lively, frosted mint luster adorns this brilliant Premium Gem first-year Carson City Morgan. Strike sharpness lacks nothing, and the preservation is exceptional. The 1878-CC Morgan is available for a price in MS66, although only a fraction of these pieces are CAC endorsed. Higher-grade coins are rare. CAC: 52 in 66, 0 finer (1/20).

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 253M, PCGS# 7080

1878-S Dollar, MS65 Deep Mirror Prooflike Seldom Encountered With Such Contrast





3797 1878-S MS65 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. The 1878-S is widely available in lower-to-mid Uncirculated grade levels but Gems with Deep Mirror Prooflike surfaces are seldom encountered. Black-and-white surfaces feature marked field reflectivity and a layer of frost over fully struck devices. A hint of golden color surrounds the reverse rim. Population: 29 in 65 (2 in 65+) Deep Mirror Prooflike, 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 56ZC, PCGS# 97083

1879-CC Capped Die Morgan, MS64 A Top 100 Variety, CAC Green Label





3798 1879-CC Capped Die, VAM-3, Top 100, MS64 PCGS. CAC. A Top 100 Variety. This Choice example exceeds the eye appeal of some Gems that we have seen, particular for this popular VAM variety. Liberty's cheek is satiny and clean, and only some faint grazes in the adjacent field prohibit a finer grade. Nonetheless, CAC recognition is an obvious advance for this coin in this grade. A tinge of light champagne toning graces each side. Minor strike softness in the centers is not bothersome.

From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 253U, PCGS# 133869 Base PCGS# 7088

1880 Morgan Dollar, MS66+ CAC Approved Registry Grade Example





3799 1880 MS66+ PCGS. CAC. A Plus-graded Premium Gem representative of this popular type issue, with sharply detailed design elements in most areas and just the faintest trace of the usual blending on the hair strands above Liberty's ear. The well-preserved surfaces are lustrous and appealing, with a few highlights of emerald-green toning at the peripheries. PCGS has graded no coins in higher numeric grades (12/19). NGC ID# 253Y, PCGS# 7096

1880 Dollar, MS65 Deep Mirror Prooflike Scarce Issue With Such Reflectivity





3800 1880 MS65 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. Flashy fields, a good strike, and minimal marks confirm the high quality of this impressive 1880 Morgan dollar. Only a hint of gold toning is present. Formerly in the Naples II set of Morgan dollars that was purchased intact by Legend Numismatics in 2000. This coin has only appeared at auction a couple of times since. Population: 44 in 65 (4 in 65+) Deep Mirror Prooflike, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 253Y, PCGS# 97097

1880/79-CC Morgan Dollar, MS65 Prooflike Reverse of 1878, VAM-4





3801 1880/79-CC Reverse of 1878, VAM-4, MS65 Prooflike PCGS. A Top 100 Variety. The remnants of an undertype 79 show beneath the primary final digits in the date and the parallel top arrow feather identifies the Reverse of 1878. This delightful Gem exhibits sharply detailed, frosty design elements and deeply reflective prooflike fields, with strong field/device contrast. The surfaces show only minor signs of contact. Population: 20 in 65 (3 in 65+) Prooflike, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# AP7P, PCGS# 41131 Base PCGS# 7109

1880-CC Morgan Dollar, MS66+ VAM-5, 8 Over High 7





3802 1880-CC 8 Over High 7, VAM-5, MS66+ PCGS. CAC. A Top 100 Variety. The counterpart to VAM-4, showing a strong 80/79 overdate paired with the Reverse of 1879. This Plus-graded Premium Gem example is frosty on the devices and prooflike in the fields. Both sides showcase warm golden toning, although the obverse has additional orange, violet, and ocean-blue toning around the border. Scarce this fine and rare finer. PCGS has graded 10 numerically finer examples. CAC: 37 in 66, 5 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2542, PCGS# 133877 Base PCGS# 7102

1880/79-O Morgan, MS64+ Prooflike VAM-4, Micro O Mintmark





3803 1880/79-O 80/79 Crossbar, VAM-4, MS64+ Prooflike PCGS. CAC. A Top 100 Variety. The crossbar of a 7 is visible in the upper loop of the second 8 on this Top 100 VAM variety. VAM-4 and VAM-5 employ this obverse. VAM-4 uses the Micro O reverse, while VAM-5 has the usual larger, oval O. This Plus-graded near-Gem is fully Prooflike and brilliant, showing a bold strike and remarkably clean surfaces for the grade. Eye appeal is spectacular. NGC ID# 356H, PCGS# 41287 Base PCGS# 7117

1880-S Dollar, Blazing MS68+ Stunning Type Coin





3804 1880-S MS68+ NGC. This 1880-S Morgan dollar displays blazing, brilliant mint luster that cartwheels freely around unabraded, frosty surfaces. Strike sharpness lacks nothing, and the preservation is almost unimprovable. A stunning type coin. The 1880-S is one of the few dates in the series that is collectible in this level of preservation. While this piece is visually and technically spectacular, it is still within the reach of many collectors of this popular type. NGC ID# 2544, PCGS# 7118

1880-S Dollar, CAC-Approved MS68 Dazzling Mint Luster





3805 1880-S MS68 PCGS. CAC. Ex: Mike Gilley Collection. The 1880-S is a famous for its quality and eye appeal, and perhaps no coin embodies that reputation more fully than the present example. CAC endorsed, it showcases near-perfection on both sides, as is expected of the lofty MS68 grade, and both sides are brilliant. Radiant cartwheel luster complements the sharpness of the devices, completing an impressive visual display on this Morgan type coin. NGC ID# 2544, PCGS# 7118

1880-S Morgan Dollar, MS68 Extraordinary Type Coin





3806 1880-S MS68 PCGS. CAC. The 1880-S Morgan dollar is the archetypal type issue of the series. Even in MS68 condition, the 1880-S is not difficult to locate, but finer coins are condition rarities. This stunning MS68 specimen exhibits sharply detailed, frosty design elements and virtually perfect brilliant surfaces, with vibrant mint luster and terrific eye appeal. The outstanding quality is endorsed by CAC and PCGS has graded only five numerically finer examples (1/20). NGC ID# 2544, PCGS# 7118

1881-O Dollar, MS65 Deep Mirror Prooflike Sharp and Dramatically Contrasted





3807 1881-O MS65 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. This better New Orleans date is scarce in high grades and challenging to locate with either Prooflike or Deep Mirror Prooflike surfaces. Gem examples are rare. Fewer than two dozen Gem DMPL examples have been seen by PCGS, with this flashy silver-white coin one of the privileged few. A sharp strike adds to the substantial white-on-black eye appeal. Population: 22 in 65 (1 in 65+) Deep Mirror Prooflike, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2548, PCGS# 97129

1881-S Silver Dollar, MS67★ Extraordinary Multicolor Toning





3808 1881-S MS67★ NGC. Guide Book editor emeritus Ken Bressett has autographed the insert. The 1881-S was sold in bag quantity to the general public into the 1960s, and the issue is available in quality Mint State. But most such pieces are brilliant or lightly toned, and examples with dramatic multicolor patina are seldom seen. The present Superb Gem exhibits splendid plum-red, applegreen, lemon-gold, and lilac-gray hues that consume the obverse and hug the upper reverse margin. NGC ID# 2549, PCGS# 7130

1881-S Dollar, Radiant MS68+ A Stunning Type Coin





3809 1881-S MS68+ NGC. Dazzling, fresh mint bloom captives the eye on this Plus-graded MS68 example, making this the ideal type coin for the Morgan dollar collector. Preservation is virtually flawless, and neither side has definable strike softness. An essentially brilliant coin, save for a tinge of gold along portions of the outer peripheries. A stunning Morgan dollar. NGC ID# 2549, PCGS# 7130

1881-S Morgan Dollar, MS68★ Beautiful Array of Color





3810 1881-S MS68★ NGC. Vibrant rainbow colors spread in arcs across the obverse of this high-end type coin, yielding forest-green, violet, lemon-gold, mint, and sky-blue hues. The reverse has only the faintest tint of light gold, save for a brush of powder-blue along the left hand rim. Strike sharpness is outstanding, and eye appeal is exceptional. The only contact marks that prevent absolute perfection are a few tiny ticks in the left obverse field, which are hidden by the vivid toning. NGC ID# 2549, PCGS# 7130

1881-S Dollar, Frosty MS68 Incredible CAC-Approved Type Coin





3811 1881-S MS68 PCGS. CAC. The 1881-S is among the most popular dates in the Morgan dollar series for type collectors. Examples in the upper reaches of Superb Gem condition are especially sought-after, as these high-end coins are seldom seen compared to the plethora of lower-grade pieces known. In MS68, this coin is surpassed only by a couple of MS69 coins at PCGS, plus a half dozen MS68 coins in Prooflike and Deep Mirror Prooflike grades (1/20). Luster is frosty and undeniably original, radiating cartwheel bands that dazzle the eye. The interiors are brilliant, framed by lilac and bluish border toning. Eye appeal is spectacular. NGC ID# 2549, PCGS# 7130

1882-CC Dollar, Frosty MS67 High-End, Brilliant CC Type Coin





3812 1882-CC MS67 PCGS. This Superb Gem embodies all of the positive attributes typically associated with coins that came out of the GSA sales of the 1970s — brilliant, frosty cartwheel luster, a sharp strike, and exceptionally clean surfaces. A loupe fails to reveal any noteworthy abrasions. The 1882-CC is among the most plentiful Carson City Morgans, ideal for type collectors seeking a single coin from this mint. NGC ID# 254S, PCGS# 7134

1882-O Morgan Dollar, MS66+ Vivid Multicolor Toning





3813 1882-O MS66+ PCGS. Iridescent shades of magenta, sea-green, cobalt-blue, and burnt-orange toning enhance the impeccably preserved surfaces of this Plus-graded Premium Gem, with most of the color on the obverse. The design elements are sharply detailed throughout and vibrant mint luster radiates from both sides. PCGS has graded eight numerically finer examples (12/19). NGC ID# 254C, PCGS# 7136

1882-O/S Dollar, MS64+ VAM-4, Early Die State, Top 100 Variety





3814 1882-O/S VAM-4, Early Die State, MS64+ PCGS. CAC. A Top 100 Variety. According to VAMWorld.com: "The VAM-4 EDS is the hardest of the O/S varieties to find and is exceedingly rare." Early die state coins are identified by "a small triangle of metal at the top of the crossbar and a thin line below it." The portrait and eagle are both covered in small die dots on this high-end near-Gem. Each side of this 1882-O/S dollar is brilliant and satiny. Preservation and eye appeal are both excellent. NGC ID# CVKK, PCGS# 133892 Base PCGS# 7138

3815 1883-S MS63 NGC. This issue lives in the shadow of its bigger brother, the 1884-S, but it remains conditionally elusive in its own right. Each side showcases brilliant surfaces awash in frosty cartwheel mint luster with a minimum of abrasions on the cheek. A strongly struck San Francisco dollar. NGC ID# 254K, PCGS# 7148

1883-S Morgan Dollar, MS64 Vibrant, Brilliant Luster





3816 1883-S MS64 PCGS. The 1883-S is a famous condition key in Gem, although Choice examples can occasionally be found with good eye appeal. This piece displays a sharp strike and radiant, brilliant cartwheel luster with a hint of reflectivity in the fields. There are a few small marks on Liberty's cheek that limit the grade. NGC ID# 254K, PCGS# 7148

1883-S Morgan Dollar, MS64 Elusive Issue in Finer Grades





3817 1883-S MS64 PCGS. An attractive Choice example of this popular branch mint issue, this coin exhibits sharply detailed design elements and lightly marked surfaces that radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides. Overall eye appeal is outstanding. Housed in a green label holder. PCGS has graded 27 numerically finer examples (1/20). NGC ID# 254K, PCGS# 7148

1883-S Dollar, Attractively Toned MS64 Semiprooflike Fields





3818 1883-S MS64 PCGS. A distinctly attractive near-Gem, showing semiprooflike fields with lovely blue and lavender toning around the obverse border. The remainder of each side displays amber-gold color. A few faint marks on Liberty's cheek do not detract, and strike sharpness is pleasing for the issue. Higher-grade 1883-S dollar are major rarities, out of reach for most collectors. NGC ID# 254K, PCGS# 7148

1883-S Dollar, MS64 Frosty and Sharply Struck





3819 1883-S MS64 PCGS. CAC. Brilliant surfaces awash in cartwheel frost show only the faintest traces of gold toning. Sharply struck, much like the S-mint dollars from the preceding few years. Beginning with the 1883-S issue, mintages were lower, and the route they took to reach collectors hands was different. Most ended up in circulation rather than storage, making Choice Mint State examples elusive today. Better examples are scarce with only 27 finer submissions at PCGS (1/20). Housed in an green label holder with a matching CAC approval sticker.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2006), lot 6523. NGC ID# 254K, PCGS# 7148

1884-O Morgan Dollar, MS67+ Among the Finest at CAC One Finer at PCGS





3820 1884-O MS67+ PCGS. CAC. With an average grade of any 1884-O silver dollar between MS62 and MS65, this New Orleans issue is anything but rare in Mint State — up to and including the Premium Gem level. Even Superb Gems can be had at will. Perhaps only 25% or so of the entire 9.7 million-piece mintage circulated at all. High end Superb Gems make up the creme de la creme of 1884-O Morgans. This gold-rimmed specimen carries both the PCGS Plus designation and CAC endorsement signifying on a few pieces are its equal or finer. Population: 16 in 67+, 1 finer. CAC: 44 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 254N, PCGS# 7154

1884-S Morgan Dollar, MS61 Attractively Toned





3821 1884-S MS61 ANACS. An impressive Mint State representative of this popular branch mint issue, this coin exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout. Attractive shades of sea-green and lavender toning enhance the pleasing surfaces, with vibrant mint luster underneath. The surfaces are minimally marked for the grade and the overall presentation is quite attractive. NGC ID# 254P, PCGS# 7156

1885 Dollar, MS67+ Fantastic Quality and Eye Appeal





3822 1885 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. This is a high-end Superb Gem, as affirmed by both the Plus designation and CAC approval sticker. Of the 17.8 million Morgan dollars struck at the Philadelphia Mint in 1885, only four coins are graded finer at PCGS, plus another eight submissions at NGC (1/20). Fully brilliant surfaces awash in coruscating mint frost are practically unabraded. A single minuscule tick above stars 1-2 is the only apparent imperfection. Fantastic quality and eye appeal. NGC ID# 254R, PCGS# 7158

1885-O Dollar, Untoned MS66+ Deep Mirror Prooflike Contrast





3823 1885-O MS66+ Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. This plentiful New Orleans issue becomes much more challenging to locate at this spectacular grade level with Deep Mirror Prooflike surfaces. Total brilliance enhances stark contrast between the frosted fields and liquidlike devices. Both sides are razor-sharp with just a touch of softness on the strands directly above Liberty's ear. Population: 58 in 66 (6 in 66+) Deep Mirror Prooflike, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 254T, PCGS# 97163

1885-S Dollar, MS66 Just Two Coins Finer





1885-S MS66 PCGS. In stark contrast to the preceding San Francisco Morgan dollar issue, the 1885-S is readily available through MS65 and only becomes challenging in MS66. Merely two coins are graded numerically finer, both of which are in PCGS holders (1/20). Lightly toned in gold and blue at the borders, this Premium Gem remains largely brilliant with cartwheel luster. Incompletely struck at the immediate centers but well-defined elsewhere. NGC ID# 254U, PCGS# 7164

3825 1886-O MS63 PCGS. This is by far the scarcest Morgan dollar issue for the year, with examples seldom seen in MS63 and scarcely any finer. Satiny surfaces remain largely untoned, showing just a couple of alloy spots on each side. Central softness is marginal, and the rest of the coin is well-struck for an O-mint dollar. NGC ID# 254W, PCGS# 7168

1887-S Dollar, MS64 Deep Mirror Prooflike Cameo Devices





3826 1887-S MS64 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. This San Francisco issue is usually available in any Mint State grade through MS65, however, Prooflike and Deep Mirror Prooflike examples are universally elusive. This near-Gem DMPL coin displays brilliant, stark cameo surfaces, with mirrored fields and frosty devices. Light, scattered abrasions prevent Gem classification. Population: 26 in 64 Deep Mirror Prooflike, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2554, PCGS# 97181

3827 1888-O Hot Lips, Doubled Die Obverse, VAM-4, Top 100, AU58 NGC. A Top 100 Variety. This popular VAM earns its nickname from the doubled set of lips on Liberty's portrait. Doubling is also clear on the nose and chin. Each side is satiny and untoned with soft mint luster remaining. Small marks and a brush of friction over the high points are typical. NGC ID# 2556, PCGS# 133919 Base PCGS# 7308

1889-O Morgan, MS64 Deep Mirror Prooflike Cameo-Contrasted Condition Rarity





3828 1889-O MS64 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. The 1889-O is a challenging issue for the collector of Prooflike and Deep Mirror Prooflike Morgan dollars. Contrasted examples of this issue are especially scarce in Choice condition, and they are rare at the Gem level. This near-Gem displays brilliant cameo contrast and is thoroughly frosted on the devices. A few faint grazes on Liberty's cheek are all that limit the grade, and the strike is above average for the issue. Population: 28 in 64 (1 in 64+) Deep Mirror Prooflike, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 45YN, PCGS# 97193

1889-O Morgan Dollar, MS65 Doubled Date, VAM-6





3829 1889-O Doubled Date, VAM-6, Top 100, MS65 PCGS. A Top 100 Variety. The doubling is especially clear on the first two digits in the date. This delightful Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements, with dramatic clash marks on the reverse. The well-preserved surfaces show only insignificant signs of contact, with vibrant mint luster on both sides. Population (for the variety): 3 in 65, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 255A, PCGS# 133933 Base PCGS# 7192

1889-S Morgan Dollar, MS66 Lustrous, Toned Example





3830 1889-S MS66 PCGS. Scintillating cartwheel luster is the outstanding visual hallmark of this virtually pristine Morgan dollar. A light patina of rose, sea-green, and russet covers each side, but fails to diminish either the intense luster or the superlative eye appeal. Liberty's cheek is exceptionally clean, and the strike is generous save for a bit of flatness just above the ear. PCGS has graded 17 in 66+ and one numerically finer 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 255B, PCGS# 7194

1890 Morgan, MS64+ Deep Mirror Prooflike Well-Contrasted and Brilliant





3831 1890 MS64+ Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. A bold strike complements frosty mint luster on the devices of this Plus-graded piece, with starkly contrasted mirrors in the fields. There are a few light marks in the left obverse field that limit the grade, but they are not overly bothersome. Neither side exhibits measurable toning. Few finer Deep Mirror Prooflike pieces are known. NGC ID# 3VX7, PCGS# 97197

1890 Dollar, MS64+ Deep Mirror Prooflike Scarce in High Grades





3832 1890 MS64+ Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. CAC. Deep/Ultra Mirror Prooflike examples are seldom seen of the 1890, even though more than 16 million pieces were struck. This all-brilliant example displays extraordinary contrast between the thickly frosted devices and deeply reflective fields. Population: 13 in 64+ Deep Mirror Prooflike, 11 finer. CAC: 20 in 64, 0 finer (1/20). Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2012), lot 4177. NGC ID# 3VX7, PCGS# 97197

1890-CC Morgan Dollar, MS65 Seldom Seen Finer





3833 1890-CC MS65 ANACS. Despite a relatively large Carson City mintage of 2.3 million pieces, the 1890-CC Morgan dollar is rare in grades above MS65. This impressive Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout, with fine definition on Liberty's hair and the eagle's feathers. The well-preserved surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster and show subtle highlights of pale gold toning. NGC ID# 255D, PCGS# 7198

1890-CC Silver Dollar, MS65+ Toned, High-End Example





1890-CC MS65+ NGC. Gold, orange, and lilac toning covers this Plus-graded Gem, complementing the frosty luster. Central strike sharpness is slightly above average, although still a trifle incomplete on the eagle's breast and the hair immediately above Liberty's ear. A loupe reveals only light signs of contact, none out of line for the grade. Higher-grade 1890-CC dollars are rarely seen. NGC ID# 255D, PCGS# 7198

1890-CC Morgan Dollar, MS64 Deep Prooflike Surfaces





3835 1890-CC MS64 Deep Prooflike NGC. The design elements of this spectacular Choice Morgan dollar exhibit razor-sharp definition throughout and the richly frosted devices stand out boldly against the deeply reflective prooflike fields. The well-preserved brilliant surfaces show only minor signs of contact and overall eye appeal is outstanding. NGC has graded six numerically finer Deep Prooflike examples (12/19). NGC ID# 45YV, PCGS# 97199

1890-CC Morgan Dollar, MS64 Deep Mirror Prooflike Example





3836 1890-CC MS64 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. The 1890-CC Morgan dollar claims the largest mintage of the Carson City series, at more than 2.3 million pieces, but high grade examples are more difficult to locate than the production total would suggest. This spectacular Choice specimen exhibits sharply detailed, frosty design elements and lightly marked surfaces with deeply reflective prooflike fields. PCGS has graded 30 numerically finer Deep Mirror Prooflike examples (12/19). NGC ID# 45YV, PCGS# 97199

1890-S Dollar, MS66+ Radiant Luster, Lightly Toned





3837 1890-S MS66+ PCGS. With a mintage of 8.2 million coins, the 1890-S is generally available. It becomes conditionally scarce in MS66 and almost impossibly rare in MS67 — just a half point finer than this. Cartwheel mint frost radiates from beneath the delicate golden toning that covers the central obverse. The reverse is mostly brilliant. Multihued patina rings the borders on each side. PCGS reports eight higher submissions (12/19). NGC ID# 255F, PCGS# 7202

1891-CC Morgan, Frosty MS65 Important CAC Endorsement





3838 1891-CC MS65 PCGS. CAC. Frosty luster is especially luminous on this Gem example, earning CAC recognition for a lack of bothersome abrasions and a clean cheek on Liberty. Strike sharpness is also above average for this issue, which is often seen flat in the centers. Golden toning warms each side. The 1891-CC is often available in MS65, but few such pieces are CAC approved. CAC: 59 in 65, 9 finer (1/20).

From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 255H, PCGS# 7206

1892-CC Silver Dollar, MS64 Rich Obverse Toning





3839 1892-CC MS64 PCGS. The obverse of this Choice Mint State 1892-CC Morgan dollar displays rich gold and iridescent toning over frosty mint luster while the reverse is brilliant and untoned. The strike is typical of the issue, showing deficient detail over Liberty's ear and on the eagle's breast. A pleasing piece for the Morgan dollar enthusiast. NGC ID# 255M, PCGS# 7214

1892-CC Silver Dollar, MS64+ Choice for the Grade





3840 1892-CC MS64+ PCGS. An attractive, high-end Choice example of this penultimate Carson City issue. Brilliant luster is frosted and minimally abraded, with Liberty's cheek being particularly clean for the grade. A hint of reflectivity is seen in the fields. Just a touch of strike softness appears on the hair above Liberty's ear — far less than is often seen. NGC ID# 255M, PCGS# 7214

3841 1893 MS64 PCGS. The "one-a-year" collector will recognize the 1893 Philadelphia Morgan dollar as the most affordable issue for the date. This Choice Mint State piece has brilliant and untoned silver surfaces that exhibit frosty mint luster and sharp design motifs. A trace of gold toning is noted at the borders. NGC ID# 255R, PCGS# 7220

1893 Morgan, MS65+ Challenging This Fine





3842 1893 MS65+ PCGS. Only the faintest of luster grazes on Liberty's cheek deny full Premium Gem classification for this high-end 1893 dollar. The coin is frosty and brilliant, with potent eye appeal. A touch of strike softness on the hair above Liberty's ear is not bothersome. The Philadelphia Mint struck only 378,000 Morgan dollars in 1893, making this a better date in all grades. NGC ID# 255R. PCGS# 7220

1893-CC Morgan Dollar, MS62 Low-Mintage Final Issue





3843 1893-CC MS62 NGC. The 1893-CC is always popular because of its status as the final Morgan dollar from the Carson City Mint and its low mintage of 677,000 pieces. This impressive MS62 example offers well-detailed design elements, with a touch of the usual softness on the hair above the ear. The surfaces show the expected number of minor contact marks for the grade and radiate satiny mint luster from both sides. NGC ID# 255S, PCGS# 7222

1893-CC Morgan Dollar, MS62 Final Carson City Issue





3844 1893-CC MS62 NGC. The Carson City Mint ceased coinage operations on June 1, 1893, but the famous Western facility struck 677,000 Morgan dollars before closing its doors. The 1893-CC can be found in lower Mint State grades with a little patience, but the issue is rare in higher Uncirculated grades. This attractive MS62 example displays well-detailed design elements, with a touch of the usual softness on the hair above the ear. The lightly marked, lustrous surfaces exhibit traces of prooflike reflectivity in sheltered areas. NGC ID# 255S, PCGS# 7222

1893-CC Morgan Dollar, MS62 Low-Mintage Branch Mint Issue





3845 1893-CC MS62 PCGS. Frosty near-white surfaces display pleasing luster and typically struck design elements. This piece would grade higher were it not for some obverse luster grazes; this issue is characteristically heavily bagmarked. All in all, a decent coin for the grade. The last Carson City Mint silver dollar issue, with a business strike mintage of 677,000 pieces, of which several hundred thousand were probably melted under the 1918 Pittman Act. NGC ID# 255S, PCGS# 7222

1893-CC Dollar, MS63 Thickly Frosted and Brilliant





3846 1893-CC MS63 PCGS. Mint State examples of the 1893-CC, the final Carson City dollar issue, are highly sought-after among advanced collectors. This Select Uncirculated representative is much finer than the average 1893-CC. Both sides are thickly frosted and brilliant with cartwheel luster. The centers show a typically deficient strike, and chatter is evenly distributed throughout with a single notable tick on the jaw. NGC ID# 255S, PCGS# 7222

1893-O Morgan Dollar, MS61 Collectible Mint State Example





3847 1893-O MS61 PCGS. Substantial luster complements a lack of toning on this Mint State 1893-O dollar, revealing light, scattered abrasions, as is appropriate for the grade. Central strike weakness prevails, a typical attribute of this New Orleans issue. From a mintage of only 300,000 coins, the 1893-O is a semikey in all grades, especially at the Mint State level.

Ex: Atlanta Online Session (Heritage, 4/2006), lot 8334. NGC ID# 255T, PCGS# 7224

1893-O Silver Dollar, MS62 Modestly Reflective Fields





3848 1893-O MS62 PCGS. A lustrous, semireflective Mint State example of this challenging New Orleans issue, showing a clean reverse with a smattering of contact marks on Liberty's cheek on the obverse. Light golden toning covers each side. Typical of the 1893-O this piece is slightly weak in the centers, although the strike definition is slightly better than many of the coins we have seen in this grade. Housed in a green label holder. NGC ID# 255T, PCGS# 7224

1893-S Dollar, VG10 Collector-Grade Example





3849 1893-S VG10 PCGS. An evenly worn, slate-gray example of this key San Francisco issue, showing pleasing detail for the grade. Light contact marks are not bothersome. This date is sought-after in all grades, and it is the most collectible in the lower circulated levels. This is an ideal collector-grade example. NGC ID# 255U, PCGS#

1893-S Dollar, VF Detail Appealing Despite the Imperfections





3850 1893-S — Gouged — PCGS Genuine. VF Detail. This singular key in the Morgan dollar series suffered some unfortunate damage, showing three prominent digs at the lower obverse above the date and left of the bust tip. There are also a few slender pinscratches on that side. Both sides have developed attractive gunmetal-blue and rose-gold patina. The overall eye appeal is good for the grade despite the obvious impairments.

1893-S Dollar, XF Details Only 100,000 Coins Struck





3851 1893-S — Cleaned — NGC Details. XF. This XF Details coin provides collectors with an accessible opportunity to obtain a strongly defined example of the ultimate low-mintage key date in the Morgan dollar series. Muted surfaces have retoned in shades of steel-blue, green, violet, and gold. Only 100,000 1893-S dollars were struck. Most survivors are heavily circulated.

1894 Morgan Dollar, MS63 Low-Mintage Philadelphia Issue





3852 1894 MS63 PCGS. The 1894 Morgan dollar claims the secondlowest business-strike mintage of the series, at a meager 110,000 pieces. This impressive Select specimen exhibits well-detailed design elements, with just a trace of blending on the hair above the ear. The lustrous surfaces are lightly marked and the overall presentation is most attractive. NGC ID# 255V, PCGS# 7228

1894 Dollar, MS64 Optimal Collector Grade





3853 1894 MS64 PCGS. The certified population of 1894 dollars plummets from MS64 to MS65 or better, where only 37 submissions are reported at PCGS (1/20). This represents the optimal level for those looking to balance quality and affordability. Blushes of lavender and gold patina complement softly lustrous and impressively well-defined surfaces. NGC ID# 255V, PCGS# 7228

1894-O Dollar, MS63 Elusive in Higher Grades





3854 1894-O MS63 PCGS. Although more than 10 times as many Morgan dollars were struck at the New Orleans Mint in 1894 as compared to the Philadelphia facility, examples are just as or even scarcer in Mint State. This Select Uncirculated example exhibits lavender and gold patina with ice-blue accents over the obverse, while the reverse is considerably brighter. Both sides are satiny and show typical design definition with extreme central strike softness. NGC ID# 255W, PCGS# 7230

1894-O Dollar, MS63 Satiny With Pleasing Eye Appeal





3855 1894-O MS63 NGC. Both sides feature relatively clean fields for the grade. Central strike detail is typically soft, but the date, wreath, and legends are strong. Violet toning graces the borders, while the interiors remain brilliant. A dark alloy spot directly under the eagle's beak serves as a pedigree marker for this satiny Select Uncirculated New Orleans dollar. The 1894-O is conditionally scarce, usually seen in circulated grades, and seldom possesses pleasing eye appeal. This is a notable exception. NGC ID# 255W, PCGS# 7230

1894-S Silver Dollar, MS65 Only 20 Finer at PCGS





3856 1894-S MS65 PCGS. Although PCGS has examined a substantial number of 1894-S dollars that have achieved the MS65 grade, only 20 examples are numerically finer (12/19). This Gem has splashes of light gold toning on both sides with frosty underlying mint luster. Traces of iridescence are evident near the obverse border. NGC ID# 255X, PCGS# 7232

1894-S Dollar, MS65 Rare Above This Level





3857 1894-S MS65 PCGS. This is by far the most accessible Morgan dollar issue for the year in high grades. Still, the 1894-S has a relatively low mintage of 1.2 million coins, is scarce in Gem condition, and proves rare above this grade level. Dusky surfaces exhibit golden toning on the obverse and additional violet, blue, and green hues on the reverse. Softly struck but clean and difficult to improve upon. PCGS reports 20 finer submissions (1/20). NGC ID# 255X, PCGS# 7232

1894-S Morgan Dollar, MS65 Toned and Slightly Reflective





3858 1894-S MS65 PCGS. A better date in Uncirculated condition, the 1894-S is genuinely scarce in MS65 and rare finer. This piece is well-struck and satiny with subtle reflectivity in the fields. Mottled peach-gold, tan, and russet toning covers each side, complementing a lack of troublesome abrasions. NGC ID# 255X, PCGS# 7232

1895-O Silver Dollar, AU58 Reflective Fields





3859 1895-O AU58 NGC. The 1895-O Morgan dollar seldom comes with prooflike fields. Although this piece is not designated Prooflike, it does show considerable reflectivity in the fields, hindered only slightly by light handling marks from a stint in circulation. Neither side exhibits mentionable toning, and detail is bold. The 1895-O seldom comes this well-struck. NGC ID# 255Y, PCGS# 7236

1896 Dollar, MS67+ Two Coins Finer at PCGS





3860 1896 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. The plentiful 1896 Philadelphia Morgan dollar can be found through MS67 without difficulty, but this Plus-graded Superb Gem nearly matches the only two finer examples at PCGS (1/20). Each side is boldly struck at the centers and completely brilliant. Surfaces awash in cartwheel frost remain virtually pristine. NGC ID# 2562, PCGS# 7240

3861 1896-O MS62 PCGS. The 1896-O is a notoriously duller-than-average issue, with generally poor strike and luster except for a few exceptions. This example is one of the fortunate few, with bright mint luster and plentiful eye appeal. The strike is a bit weak over the ear, but sharper than normal on the eagle's breast and talons. Only light abrasions limit the grade.

Ex: Houston Signature (Heritage, 12/2015), lot 3950. NGC ID# 27ZU, PCGS# 7242

1896-S Dollar, MS63 Well-Struck and Untoned





3862 1896-S MS63 NGC. The 1896-S is well-known for its conditional scarcity among Morgan dollar specialists. Examples are much more difficult to locate in high grades than the unassuming mintage of 5 million coins would suggest. This brightly frosted Select Uncirculated representative exhibits peppered marks throughout the obverse, while the reverse is cleaner. Well-struck over the centers and void of toning. NGC ID# 2564, PCGS# 7244

1896-S Dollar, Frosty MS64+ Vibrantly Lustrous





3863 1896-S MS64+ NGC. Luster is brilliant and frosty on this piece, complementing above-average strike sharpness in the centers. A few light grazes on Liberty's cheek prevent Gem classification, although this coin's eye appeal nonetheless exceeds expectations for the Choice grade level. This issue is much more elusive in Mint State than its mintage of 5 million pieces would suggest. Examples grading in Gem and better condition are scarce. NGC ID# 2564, PCGS# 7244

1897-O Dollar, Satiny MS63 Scarce in High Grades





3864 1897-O MS63 PCGS. Roughly 10% of the 4 million Morgan dollars struck at the New Orleans Mint in 1897 survive, mostly in lower grades. Only about 2% to 3% exist in Mint State. Select Uncirculated examples like this are scarce but obtainable, while finer coins are beyond the reach of most collectors. Strongly struck for a Louisiana dollar, this piece is fully brilliant with radiant satin mint luster and minimal grazes. NGC ID# 2565, PCGS# 7248

1898-O Silver Dollar, MS67+ High-End CAC Registry Coin





3865 1898-O MS67+ PCGS. CAC. Remarkably well-preserved surfaces earn this New Orleans dollar a Plus designation from PCGS, and CAC also considers it choice for the grade. Luster is frosty and brilliant, producing exceptional visual appeal. Slight strike softness on the hair above Liberty's ear is not bothersome. Among the finest non-Prooflike pieces certified at PCGS. CAC: 96 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2569, PCGS# 7254

1899 Morgan Dollar, MS66+ A Scarce, High-End Example for the Grade





3866 1899 MS66+ PCGS. The enticingly low mintage of 330,000 coins gives the 1899 Morgan dollar heightened appeal among collectors, although examples can usually be located for a price as fine as MS66. With the Plus designation, this piece stands apart from the majority. It is well-struck and untoned, yielding strong luster and clean surfaces. Liberty's cheek is nearly flawless. NGC ID# 256C, PCGS# 7258

1899-O Morgan, MS67 Among the Finest at CAC





3867 1899-O MS67 PCGS. CAC. The frosty luster of this brilliant Superb Gem glistens like silk beneath a light, earning CAC endorsement for quality and eye appeal. A few insignificant grazes prevent perfection but are hardly noticed. Central strike definition is above average. This New Orleans issue is occasionally available in the current grade, although such coins are scarce with CAC endorsement. CAC: 70 in 67, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 256C, PCGS# 7260

1900 Dollar, MS67 Golden Border Toning





3868 1900 MS67 NGC. It is nearly impossible to find fault with this Superb Gem dollar from the turn of the century. Softly frosted surfaces show golden toning around the borders, and neither side exhibits any overt abrasions. The lower obverse is a touch incomplete, but the eagle's breast is bold. Census: 58 in 67 (4 in 67+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 256F, PCGS# 7264

1900 Silver Dollar, MS67 Conditionally Challenging





1900 MS67 PCGS. It is easy to believe that no 1900 silver dollars have been graded numerically finer than the present Superb Gem, given its potent luster, smooth surfaces, and solid strike. Brilliant save for a hint of rose toning on a shallow flan flaw between the ON in ONE. Population: 90 in 67 (9 in 67+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 256F, PCGS# 7264

1901 Morgan Dollar, MS61 Vivid Peripheral Toning





3870 1901 MS61 PCGS. The brilliant silver centers of this impressive Mint state specimen yield to vivid shades of sea-green and magenta toning at the borders, with vibrant mint luster and outstanding eye appeal throughout. The design elements are well-detailed, with just a touch of softness on the hair above the ear. The expected number of grade-consistent contact marks are present. NGC ID# 256J, PCGS# 7272

1901 Dollar, MS62 Rare in High Grades





3871 1901 MS62 PCGS. High-grade examples of the 1901 Morgan dollar are among the rarest coins in the series. This lustrous MS62 representative is well-struck at the centers and mostly brilliant with blushes of golden color around the rims. Peripheral motifs show a bit of softness. There are a few grade-limiting mark near Liberty's nose and in the adjacent field. Scarce any finer. NGC ID# 256J, PCGS# 7272

1901-S Morgan Dollar, MS65 Elusive CAC Example





3872 1901-S MS65 PCGS. CAC. The 1901-S is a better date in Gem condition, and higher-grade pieces are especially scarce. This CAC-endorsed MS65 coin displays frosty mint luster with a tint of light golden color. Only slight strike softness is evident in the centers, and there are only minor grazes on Liberty's cheek that limit the numeric grade. CAC: 30 in 65, 7 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 256L, PCGS# 7276

1901-S Morgan Dollar, MS66 Elusive This Fine





3873 1901-S MS66 PCGS. A scarce Premium Gem example of this conditionally challenging San Francisco issue, showing brilliant satin luster and exceptionally clean fields. Only the faintest grazes on Liberty's cheek prevent full Superb Gem classification. A touch of strike softness is noted in the centers as usual. Population: 47 in 66 (8 in 66+), 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 256L, PCGS# 7276

1902 Dollar, MS67 Frosty Cartwheel Luster





3874 1902 MS67 PCGS. Void of even the slightest suggest of color, this frosty Superb Gem dollar glistens with cartwheel mint luster over each side. Liberty's cheek and the fields lack any mentionable abrasions. Among the finest certified despite a healthy mintage of 7.9 million coins. Population: 67 in 67 (4 in 67+), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 256M, PCGS# 7278

1904-O Silver Dollar, MS67+ Attractive Iridescent Toning Among the Finest Certified





3875 1904-O MS67+ NGC. Iridescent colors of moderate intensity gather to form the two-sided, colorful patina of this high-end Superb Gem 1904-O. Most examples of the 1904-O gathered dust for the better part of 70 years before their release to the public. While now considered easily available as a date, the issue is anything but common in high-end MS67 condition. The present coin is sharply struck and attractive, free of any significant marks. No examples grade numerically finer at either service. Census: 122 in 67 (3 in 67+, 6 in 67★, 1 in 67+★), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 256V, PCGS# 7292

1904-S Morgan Dollar, MS62 Better Date in Mint State





1904-S MS62 NGC. Semiprooflike fields are a hallmark of this lower-end Uncirculated coin, although abrasions are also minimal for the grade which boosts the eye appeal. This 1904-S dollar is well-struck and satiny. Brilliant interiors cede to deep lavender-gray, violet, and orange-gold border toning. The 1904-S is a better date among 20th century Morgan dollars. NGC ID# 256W, PCGS# 7794

PROOF MORGAN DOLLARS

1883 Morgan Dollar, PR65 Modest Contrast





3877 1883 PR65 NGC. The proof 1883 Morgan dollar is most often seen in the PR63 to PR64 range, and Gems are scarce. This piece displays light golden toning and has modest contrast on each side, although not enough to warrant Cameo classification from NGC. The strike is sharp and eye appeal is pleasing. Census: 50 in 65 (1 in 65+), 35 finer; 15 in 65 (1 in 65+) Cameo, 17 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 27Z7, PCGS# 7318

3878 1884 PR62 PCGS. Proof dollar output decreased slightly to 875 coins in 1884. This PR62 representative is minimally toned with pale dusky violet color that lightly graces the reflective surfaces. Faint contrast exists on the reverse but is less pronounced on the obverse. Expectedly razor-sharp with trivial contact. NGC ID# 27ZB, PCGS# 7319

1884 Morgan Dollar, PR64 Colorful Toning





3879 1884 PR64 PCGS. We have occasionally seen colorfully toned examples of this proof Morgan issue, and the present coin again displays outstanding eye appeal. Shades of lavender, amber-gold, rose, and russet accent the reflectivity of the fields, and the satiny devices are boldly struck. Any grade-limiting hairlines in the fields are hidden by the rich patina. NGC ID# 27ZB, PCGS# 7319

1892 Morgan Dollar, PR65 Cameo Nicely Contrasted, Brilliant Surfaces





3880 1892 PR65 Cameo NGC. The 1892 proof Morgan dollar enjoyed a generous mintage of 1,245 pieces, as the Mint anticipated increased sales of proof sets due to the debut of the Barber design on the subsidiary coinage that year. This spectacular Gem exhibits razor-sharp definition on all design elements and the frosty devices contrast boldly with the deeply mirrored fields. The brilliant surfaces are virtually flawless and eye appeal is terrific. Census: 18 in 65 Cameo (1 in 65+, 2 in 65★), 45 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 27ZM, PCGS# 87327

1902 Dollar, PR66+ Colorful Original Surfaces





3881 1902 PR66+ PCGS. CAC. The year 1902 was a significant one in the way proofs were manufactured, transitioning away from the old method of highly polished fields and frosted devices toward a new all-brilliant finish. This high-end Premium Gem dollar features dusky, original toning in shades of rose-gold, ice-blue, and sea-green. The flashy fields reveal vibrant iridescent colors when rotated under a light, enhancing the tremendous eye appeal. Population: 25 in 66 (3 in 66+), 10 finer in this category. CAC: 7 in 66, 7 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2822, PCGS# 7337

1902 Silver Dollar, PR65 Cameo Rare Contrasted Proof





3882 1902 PR65 Cameo NGC. The immensely deep reflectivity in the inky-black fields is among the most profound that we have ever seen on a 20th century proof Morgan dollar. Razor-sharp details and pristine surfaces make the assigned grade level seem conservative. This piece is an obvious exception to the usual rule of low-or-no-contrast proofs. Census: 3 in 65 Cameo, 6 finer (1/20). Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 10/2006), lot 2357; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 5/2012), lot 4468. NGC ID# 2822, PCGS# 87337

PEACE DOLLARS

1921 Peace Dollar, MS66 High-End High Relief Type Coin





3883 1921 MS66 PCGS. An eye-appealing Premium Gem example of this first-year High Relief type, showing luminous satin surfaces cast in dusky champagne-gold toning. This issue is always seen with some degree of strike softness in the centers, although the present coin shows very little of it. Neither does it show distracting abrasions, earning it high marks for visual appeal. PCGS lists a mere six numerically finer coins (1/20). PCGS# 7356

1926 Peace Dollar, MS66+ Sweeping Cartwheel Luster





3884 1926 MS66+ PCGS. Of the nearly 2 million Peace dollars struck at the Philadelphia Mint in 1926, none are graded higher at PCGS than this MS66+ representative (1/20). Cartwheel luster sweeps across brilliant surfaces that show specks of pale golden color. Both sides are exceptionally clean and sharply struck. A coin that should reside in the finest of Peace dollar sets. NGC ID# 257N, PCGS# 7367

1926 Peace Dollar, MS66+ Tied for Finest at PCGS and CAC





3885 1926 MS66+ PCGS. CAC. Powder-blue and neon-green hues complement dusky golden surfaces. Both sides are razor-sharp for the type and remarkably unabraded for the Premium Gem grade level, hence the Plus designation and CAC approval sticker. There are none finer at PCGS or CAC (12/19). NGC ID# 257N, PCGS# 7367

1926-D Peace Dollar, MS66+ Important Plus Grade for Registries





3886 1926-D MS66+ PCGS. This Denver issue is plentiful in MS66, but Plus-graded coins in this grade are immensely popular due to the rarity of finer pieces. In MS67, the 1926-D Peace dollar is a major rarity with just eight such coins reported each at PCGS and NGC (1/20). This coin displays smooth, softly frosted mint luster and is well-struck. The faintest traces of light champagne color accent each side. NGC ID# 257P, PCGS# 7368

1926-D Peace Dollar, MS66+ Few Finer Pieces Are Known





3887 1926-D MS66+ PCGS. Brilliant, frosty mint luster adorns this high-end Premium Gem example, complementing a sharp strike and trivial signs of contact. The 1926-D is occasionally seen in MS66 but rarely do such coins also have a Plus designation. PCGS and NGC each report only eight higher-grade representatives (1/20). NGC ID# 257P, PCGS# 7368

1927-D Peace Dollar, MS65+ Seldom Seen With CAC Recognition





3888 1927-D MS65+ PCGS. CAC. A challenging issue in Gem condition, the 1927-D Peace dollar becomes conditionally rare in finer grades. This Plus-graded Gem is part of a small number of coins that earn CAC endorsement, and its brilliant, lustrous surfaces are indeed beautifully preserved. A well-struck example with Registry Set potential. NGC ID# 257T, PCGS# 7371

1927-S Peace Dollar, MS65 Pale Gold Patina, Conditionally Scarce





3889 1927-S MS65 PCGS. Pale golden patina lightly drapes otherwise frosty surfaces. This well-struck Gem from a relatively low mintage of 866,000 coins far exceeds the typical 1927-S dollar in terms of both preservation and visual appeal. One of the most conditionally elusive issues in the Peace dollar series. PCGS reports just two numerically finer submissions (1/20). NGC ID# 26J6, PCGS# 7372

1934-S Peace Dollar, MS62 Chestnut-Gold Patina





3890 1934-S MS62 PCGS. The late-date 1934-S Peace dollar is widely known for its conditional scarcity and relatively low mintage of 1 million coins. This Uncirculated example is lightly toned in chestnut-gold patina with the reverse being a shade brighter. Tiny abrasions are well-hidden. NGC ID# 257Z, PCGS# 7377

1935-S Peace Dollar, MS66+ Vivid Multicolor Toning





3891 1935-S MS66+ PCGS. CAC. Mottled shades of sea-green, bluish-gray, and amber toning enhance the well-preserved surfaces of this Plus-graded Premium Gem, with most of the color on the obverse. The design elements are well-detailed and vibrant mint luster shines through the patina. The quality and eye appeal are attested by the CAC sticker. Population: 27 in 66+, 3 finer. CAC: 55 in 66, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2583, PCGS# 7379

End of Session Two



Teresa Cafarelli, model for the Peace dollar.

SESSION THREE

GOLD DOLLARS

1850-C Gold Dollar, AU55 Significant Collector Appeal





3892 1850-C AU55 NGC. Variety 1. A relatively crisp strike and deep reddish-gold color give his Choice About Uncirculated Charlotte Mint gold dollar significant collector appeal. A touch of high-point rub and mostly minor marks are in line with the grade. The only notable flaw is a slender abrasion between 1 and DOLLAR. From a mintage of 6,966 coins and a surviving population of 150 to 250 pieces. NGC ID# 25BG, PCGS# 7510

1851 Gold Dollar, MS66+ Exceptional Type Coin Quality





3893 1851 MS66+ PCGS. CAC. The 1851 is among the most plentiful Type One gold dollars, often seen in type collectors' cabinets. Examples become conditionally scarce in MS66, and higher-grade pieces are rare. This Plus-designated Premium Gem is typically sharp, and it has vibrant, frosty rose-gold and greenish surfaces. Neither side has a single notable distraction, earning CAC recognition with ease. Population: 34 in 66 (5 in 66+), 12 finer. CAC: 10 in 66, 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25BK, PCGS# 7513

1853-C Gold Dollar, MS61 Scarcer Charlotte Issue





3894 1853-C MS61 NGC. Variety 1. Variety 8-I. This is a fairly low mintage date with just 11,515 pieces coined for circulation. Precious few of these remain in grades even approaching Mint State, so collectors should take into account any decent specimen offered. The fields show slight roughness probably from the dies which were allowed to rust during the humid Charlotte summer. We note a minor nick below Liberty's jaw and another on the neck, which likely account for the moderate grade. Census: 9 in 61, 29 finer (1/20).

Ex: Palm Beach Signature (Heritage, 3/2005), lot 6799. NGC ID# 25BV, PCGS# 7522

1855-C One Dollar Gold, VF35 Rare Charlotte 'Small Head' Dollar





3895 1855-C VF35 PCGS. Variety 2. As the only Charlotte Mint gold dollar to represent the short-lived Type Two Indian Princess design, the 1855-C is rare in an absolute sense, and it is a famous condition rarity as well. The mintage was 9,803 pieces, of which fewer than 350 pieces are thought to survive. All examples are weakly struck in areas, and despite grading service populations, truly Mint State pieces number in the low single digits. This example's reverse is far sharper than usual, where DOLLAR and the date are bold and traces of mint luster remain. The obverse is weakly struck and die clashed, with mildly bright medium-gold surfaces that show small areas of granularity and minor pitting. The Choice VF grade is perhaps a compromise between the two sides, housed in a previous generation green label holder.

From The Brookside Collection. NGC ID# 25C5, PCGS# 7533

1855-C Gold Dollar, AU53 Only Charlotte Type Two Issue





3896 1855-C AU53 NGC. From a meager mintage of 9,803 pieces, the 1855-C is the only Type Two gold dollar from the Charlotte Mint. The 1855-C was not a well-produced issue and few examples were saved by collectors, making the issue quite elusive in high grade condition. This attractive AU53 example shows only light wear on the design elements, which exhibit the typical strike for this issue, with dramatic clash marks on both sides. The reddish-gold surfaces retain traces of original mint luster and exhibit the expected number of minor abrasions for the grade. Census: 32 in 53, 93 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 25C5, PCGS# 7533

3897 1855-D — Smoothed Surfaces — PCGS Genuine. Variety 7-I. The PCGS number ending in .98 suggests Damage as the reason, or perhaps one of the reasons, that PCGS deemed this coin not gradable. In our opinion, this coin has the details of an XF specimen that has smoothed surfaces. Hints of olive patina appear on the pale straw-gold surfaces with faint surface roughness on each side.

1855-O Gold Dollar, AU58 Only O-Mint Type Two Issue





3898 1855-O AU58 NGC. Variety 1. The 1855-O is the only Type Two gold dollar from the New Orleans Mint, making it a must-have issue for branch mint type collectors. From a mintage of 55,000 pieces, the 1855-O becomes somewhat scarce at the AU58 grade level. This impressive near-Mint example exhibits just a trace of friction on the well-detailed design elements and the still-lustrous orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded. NGC ID# 25C7, PCGS# 7535

1855-O Gold Dollar, AU58 New Orleans Type Set Stopper





3899 1855-O AU58 PCGS. Variety 1. The reverse is unlapped on this variety. The 1855-O is the sole Type Two gold dollar from the New Orleans Mint. Although a moderately substantial coinage of 55,000 pieces was accomplished, this issue circulated extensively and is of limited availability today in high grades. Offered here is a near-Mint coin with soft, satiny yellow-gold surfaces. There is one small tick on Liberty's neck that serves as a pedigree identifier, but no other distractions are observed. A touch of the usual strike softness is evident on the highest points of Liberty's hair curls, and the 8 in the date is not as sharp as the other numerals. Population: 48 in 58, 43 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25C7, PCGS# 7535

1858 Gold Dollar, MS65 Few Survive in This High Grade





3900 1858 MS65 PCGS. The 85 in the date is the only point of softness on this otherwise needle-sharp Gem gold dollar. Orange-gold surfaces radiate soft mint frost from each side, and nothing more than a few minuscule ticks are noted. The 1858 gold dollar had a substantial mintage of 117,995 coins, but remarkably few survive in this high grade. Population: 8 in 65 (1 in 65+), 10 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25CH, PCGS# 7548

1858-S Gold Dollar, MS61 Rare in Uncirculated Condition





3901 1858-S MS61 NGC. Partial reflectivity exists in the fields on each side of this Uncirculated 1858-S gold dollar, unsurprising given the issue's limited mintage of 10,000 coins. The few examples that were struck experienced heavy circulation, making the 1858-S a notably rarity in Mint State. Straw-gold surfaces are bright and well-defined with bold detail on the cotton bolls and lower wreath. Census: 8 in 61, 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25CK, PCGS# 7550

3902 1859-C — Improperly Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. Variety 1. The low mintage of 5,236 pieces guarantees an interested audience of branch mint gold specialists, with both the 1857-C and and 1859-C about equally challenging in AU or finer grades as the scarcest Charlotte gold dollars. This is a lightly hairlined 1859-C, with surfaces that are a bit glossy from the cleaning. The obverse strike is above-average, while the reverse is less sharp as often seen. Medium-gold color is consistent throughout both sides.

1879 Gold Dollar, MS66+ Popular, Low-Mintage Date





3903 1879 MS66+ PCGS. About 20% of the 3,000 gold dollars struck in 1879 are believed extant, mostly in Mint State grades. Scarcely are examples seen in MS66, and they are rare in MS67. Hallmarks of this Premium Gem include a full strike, gleaming mint frost, and attractive rose-gold color. Population: 47 in 66 (4 in 66+), 15 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25DH, PCGS# 7580

1880 Gold Dollar, MS66 Prooflike Dramatic Contrast





3904 1880 MS66 Prooflike NGC. With only 1,600 pieces minted, it is no surprise that a number of 1880 gold dollars feature Prooflike reflectivity. They are all essentially first strikes. This glittering Premium Gem is fully defined with rich yellow-gold color, but field-device contrast is its hallmark. The aesthetic quality is terrific, and there are no signs of contact to report. NGC ID# 25DJ, PCGS# 77581

1883 Gold Dollar, MS67+ Popular Christmas-Time Issue





3905 1883 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. The small denomination gold coins were seldom used in the channels of commerce, explaining the large population of Mint State coins compared to relatively small mintages. The gold dollars and quarter eagles were popular gifts during the Christmas season. This Plus-graded Superb Gem has splendid orange toning on its rich yellow-gold surfaces with satin luster. PCGS has only certified 16 examples as MS67+, with just 22 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25DM, PCGS# 7584

1883 Gold Dollar, MS67+ Prooflike CAC Endorsement, Finest Prooflike at PCGS





3906 1883 MS67+ Prooflike PCGS. CAC. PCGS has thus far designated four 1883 gold dollars as Prooflike, of which this piece in MS67+ is the finest. By comparison, NGC has certified 10 coins in this numeric grade as either Prooflike or Deep Prooflike (1/20). This piece is brilliant and sharp, showing modest contrast between the frosty devices and mirrored fields. Eye appeal is excellent. Population: 2 in 67 (1 in 67+) Prooflike, 0 finer (1/20). PCGS# 87584 Base PCGS# 77584

1885 Gold Dollar, MS67 Bold Date, Sharp Overall Strike





3907 1885 MS67 PCGS. CAC. Partially prooflike fields surround sharply struck, frosted devices throughout both sides of this Superb Gem gold dollar. The surfaces are free of clash marks that often plague the design. Orange accents embellish attractive, wheat-gold surfaces, while gleaming mint luster provides plentiful eye appeal. CAC endorsement confirms the obvious high quality. Population: 14 in 67 (1 in 67+), 1 finer. CAC: 10 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25DP, PCGS# 7586

1888 Gold Dollar, MS67 Exceptional Strike and Surfaces, CAC





3908 1888 MS67 NGC. CAC. Frequently saved by both collectors and speculators, the 1888 gold dollar is often well-preserved and popular in its highest Uncirculated grades. This Superb Gem example displays frosted, fully struck surfaces and exceptional eye appeal. Mint luster flows across vibrant, rich-gold surfaces — a nearly flawless example. Census: 38 in 67 (1 in 67★), 4 finer. CAC: 23 in 67, 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25DT, PCGS# 7589

PROOF GOLD DOLLAR

3909 1885 PR61 PCGS. CAC. The high mintage figure of 1,105 proofs makes this issue one of the most available of the gold dollar proof series. This example displays brilliant orange-peel surfaces with some light field chatter on both sides, along with a thin, straight scrape behind Liberty's head that appears under a loupe. There is considerable cameo contrast, although it is unrecognized by PCGS. An attractive coin for the grade and issue.

Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 10/2008), lot 1897. NGC ID# 25EV, PCGS# 7635

EARLY QUARTER EAGLES

1798 Quarter Eagle, XF Details Five Berries, BD-2





3910 1798 Five Berries, BD-2, R.5 — Repaired — PCGS Genuine. XF Details. Bass-Dannreuther Die State a. From a minuscule estimated mintage of 480-838 pieces, the BD-2 variety, with five berries in the branch, has a surviving population of 45-55 examples in all grades. This lightly worn example displays signs of smoothing in the obverse field, but some shallow digs still show on the portrait. The reverse dies were used to strike dimes in 1798 and 1800. From The McDonald Family Collection.

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1804 BD-2 Quarter Eagle, AU Details 14 Stars Reverse





3911 1804 14 Stars Reverse, BD-2, R.4 — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. Bass-Dannreuther Die State a/a, as usual, with before the radial die crack develops to the right of the date. This coin displays strong detail and medium yellow-gold color. The surfaces are relatively smooth, although cleaning on each side prohibits a numeric grade from the grading services. Adjustment marks are evident in the left hand margins as well as the central reverse, and the left border details are indistinct as a result.

1829 Quarter Eagle, XF Details BD-1, Only Dies for the Date





3912 1829 BD-1, High R.4 — Damage — PCGS Genuine. XF Details. Bass-Dannreuther Die State a/a. From a small mintage of 3,403 pieces, John Dannreuther estimates the surviving population of this issue at 70-90 examples in all grades. The antique-gold surfaces of this specimen show only light wear on the design elements and some original mint luster remains in sheltered areas. A series of digs on Liberty's cheek and in the fields on both sides constitutes the noted damage.

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CLASSIC QUARTER EAGLES

1835 Classic Head Quarter Eagle, MS61 Elusive Mint State Specimen





3913 1835 MS61 NGC. Breen-6141, Variety 6, R.2. LIBERTY is repunched, most dramatically at I, and the M in AMERICA is distant from A. The surfaces of this greenish-gold Mint State example are slightly prooflike, with some light field chatter scattered about both sides. Aside from some softness on the hair curls and shield border, all of the devices are sharply struck. The awkwardly spaced legend on the reverse makes this an interesting Classic Head variety, with outstanding eye appeal. Census: 36 in 61 (1 in 61★), 45 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 25FT, PCGS# 7693

1836 Quarter Eagle, MS61 Classic Head Type Coin, Script 8





3914 1836 Script 8 MS61 NGC. Breen-6143, Variety 11, R.2. Head of 1835. Star 6 is close to Liberty's curl with a die crack that travels from the rim just right of it down through the portrait. Bright yellow-gold surfaces exhibit partial luster and scattered abrasions typical of the grade level. The stars are strong and so is the eagle, save for the left shield corner. NGC ID# 25FU, PCGS# 7694

1838 Classic Quarter Eagle, MS60 Lightly Marked Surfaces





3915 1838 MS60 NGC. Breen-6146, Variety 19, R.2. The design of the Classic Head quarter eagle was slightly modified in 1838, with smaller stars on the obverse and a slightly different shape to the bust. A modest mintage of 47,030 pieces was accomplished at the Philadelphia Mint, making the issue elusive in high grade. This impressive Mint State specimen offers well-detailed design elements, with some softness around the shield border and recutting on the stars. The lustrous orange-gold surfaces are lightly marked for the grade. Census: 6 in 60, 61 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25FY, PCGS# 7696

1839 Classic Head Quarter Eagle, AU53 Low-Mintage Philadelphia Issue





3916 1839 AU53 PCGS. Breen-6148, Variety 21, R.3. Only 27,021 quarter eagles were struck at the Philadelphia Mint in 1839, the final year of the Classic Head design. This impressive AU53 example shows only light wear on the coronet and the hair above the ear, and the light orange-gold surfaces exhibit the expected number of minor abrasions for the grade. Population: 11 in 53, 40 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 25G3, PCGS# 7698

1839 Quarter Eagle, AU58 Bold Central Devices





3917 1839 AU58 NGC. Breen-6148, Variety 21, R.3. All 1839 circulation-strike quarter eagles exhibit repunching on the base of the 8. This bright example survives in near-Mint condition. Partial luster shines around the stars and legends, while the central relief elements are bold and practically unworn. Myriad marks obscure field reflectivity. Census: 23 in 58, 16 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25G3, PCGS# 7698

1839 Quarter Eagle, MS60+ Final Classic Head Issue





3918 1839 MS60+ NGC. Repunched 8, Variety 21, R.3. This challenging P-mint Classic Head issue is often overlooked in favor of its branch mint counterparts, the 1839-C and 1839-D, yet it is considerably scarcer than either of those in most grades. This pleasing, minimally abraded example carries the somewhat unusual MS60+ grade, with high-end surfaces for the basal Mint State level and traces of reflectivity among the devices. The strike lacks sharpness only at TES of STATES. Census: 3 in 60 (1 in 60+), 13 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25G3, PCGS# 7698

1839-C Classic Two and a Half, AU Details Final Year of the Design





3919 1839-C — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. Breen-6150, Winter-2, Variety 22, R.4. Always popular for both its Charlotte mintmark as well as the final year of production for the Classic Head design. Repunching is especially pronounced on the digits in the date. The surfaces have been dulled from cleaning, and there are only small, individually insignificant abrasions seen over each

1839-C Quarter Eagle, AU50 Two-Year Type, Final Classic Head Issue





3920 1839-C AU50 PCGS. Breen-6150, Winter-2, Variety 22, R.4. As the Charlotte Mint's second and final Classic Head quarter eagle, the 1839-C is more available than the 1838-C in circulated grades (although not in Uncirculated grades). This is a vibrant, orange-gold About Uncirculated example — sharply struck, and peppered by tiny marks throughout both sides. The 3 in the date is widely recut, one of three varieties used to strike a total of 18,140 pieces. Housed in a previous generation green label holder. From The Brookside Collection. NGC ID# 25G4, PCGS# 7699

1839-C Two and a Half, AU55 Early Die State





3921 1839-C AU55 PCGS. Breen-6150, Winter-2, Variety 22, R.4. The die cracks are not as advanced on this piece as they are on many. The obverse does not yet show any cracks, and the reverse is in the early stages of shattering. Detail is strong, save for on the tip of the eagle's right (facing) wing. Straw-gold color is pleasing. Housed in a green label holder. NGC ID# 25G4, PCGS# 7699

1839-O Two and a Half, AU58 Classic Head New Orleans Type Coin





3922 1839-O AU58 NGC. Breen-6152, Variety 27, R.3. Two die marriages were required by the New Orleans Mint to strike 17,781 pieces — the Southern Mint's first attempt at coining the quarter eagle denomination. This example is the High Date, Wide Fraction variant. Bright greenish-gold color spreads evenly across both sides of this nearly Mint State coin. A trace of wear and scattered light abrasions accompany sharply struck devices. Census: 72 in 58 (1 in 58+), 60 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25G7, PCGS# 7701

LIBERTY QUARTER EAGLES

1842-O Quarter Eagle, AU55 Hints of Luster Remain





3923 1842-O AU55 NGC. Variety 1. The date and mintmark are both small logotypes on this issue, which was struck to the extent of 19,800 coins. New Orleans gold of this period circulated, leaving few Mint State coins of any date for collectors. This collectible Choice AU example displays hints of luster in the fields and has pleasing greenish-gold and olive patina. Considerable strike softness affects the centers, as is typical of the issue. NGC ID# 25GK, PCGS# 7726

1845 Two and a Half, MS63 Rarely Offered This High-Grade





3924 1845 MS63 NGC. The 1845 is available by the standards of quarter eagles from the 1840s, but most survivors show wear, and problem-free Mint State pieces are elusive. This straw-gold example has a gorgeously smooth reverse, and the obverse is also impressively unmarked. Excellent mint luster and well struck aside from the eagle's left (facing) leg, as usual for Philadelphia gold from this period. Census: 12 in 63, 8 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25GW, PCGS# 7737

1847-C Two and a Half, Sharp AU50 Bold Eye Appeal, Luster Remains





3925 1847-C AU50 PCGS. Variety 1. The 1847-C is a well-produced Charlotte quarter eagle issue that is reasonably available in most grades, and does not become rare until the near-Gem Uncirculated or finer grades. This is an attractive About Uncirculated example, with attractive and original medium green-gold color and substantial mint luster remaining at the margins. A sharp strike shows light high-point wear. Housed in a previous generation green label holder. Population: 37 in 50, 122 finer (1/20).

From The Brookside Collection. NGC ID# 25H6, PCGS# 7745

1848-C Two and a Half, AU50 Sharp Strike, Substantial Luster





3926 1848-C AU50 PCGS. Variety 1. A downsloping date is positioned far left, signifying the more-common of two die marriages used to strike a total of 16,788 quarter eagles. The 1848-C is challenging to find sharp and with pleasing color, yet the present coin is well-struck and attractive. A light-green tinge at the margins accents the yellow-gold surfaces. A touch of weakness at the eagle's talons is the only exception to the bold strike. A few scattered light marks are grade-consistent and microscopic in size. Housed in an old green label holder. Population: 19 in 50, 38 finer (1/20).

From The Brookside Collection. NGC ID# 25HB, PCGS# 7750

1852-C Quarter Eagle, XF45 Pleasing Color, Better Date





3927 1852-C XF45 PCGS. Variety 1. The deep, green-gold color adds eye appeal to minimally worn surfaces throughout this Choice XF quarter eagle. Soft mint luster survives beneath the coin's attractive patina. The central strike is characteristically weak on the 1852-C, especially at the eagle's central elements. We note some minuscule porosity on Liberty's portrait, and scattered tiny marks are seen under a loupe. Housed in an old green label holder. Population: 23 in 45, 57 finer (1/20).

From The Brookside Collection. NGC ID# 25HS, PCGS# 7764

1857 Liberty Quarter Eagle, MS65 Rarely Seen Finer





3928 1857 MS65 PCGS. A substantial mintage of 214,130 Liberty quarter eagles was accomplished at the Philadelphia Mint in 1857, but few examples were saved by contemporary collectors and the issue is rare at the MS65 grade level. This delightful Gem exhibits well-detailed design elements, with some localized softness on the eagle's leg and star 2. The well-preserved orange-gold surfaces are lustrous and appealing. Population: 3 in 65, 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25JC, PCGS# 7782

1860-C Quarter Eagle, XF45 Final Charlotte Issue





3929 1860-C XF45 PCGS. Variety 1. The final Charlotte quarter eagle is a collector favorite, although it is scarce in all grades from a small mintage of 7,469 pieces. This Choice XF example displays orange and lilac highlights over satiny surfaces. Tiny marks and a few light abrasions are distributed throughout both sides. As always, the obverse is sharper than the reverse, with the eagle's wingtips, head, and legs showing minor strike weakness. Glints of luster remain in protected areas. Population: 21 in 45, 55 finer (1/20).

From The Brookside Collection. NGC ID# 25]T, PCGS# 7792

1879 Quarter Eagle, MS65 Radiant Lemon-Gold Surfaces





3930 1879 MS65 PCGS. This blazing Gem quarter eagle radiates thick, eye-catching mint frost from luminous lemon-gold surfaces. Both sides are nearly fully struck, one exception being the eagle's left leg. From a mintage of 88,990 coins. Population: 22 in 65, 11 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25L2, PCGS# 7830

1897 Liberty Quarter Eagle, MS67 Satiny Original Surfaces





3931 1897 MS67 NGC. A Superb example of this later date issue that has a surprisingly low mintage of only 29,904 pieces. Fully struck throughout, the surfaces display rich, satiny luster and the color is unquestionably original with a rich, reddish cast on each side. A wonderful coin for type purposes. Census: 17 in 67 (1 in 67★, 1 in 67+★), 1 finer (12/19).

Ex: November Signature (Heritage, 11/2003), lot 7319. NGC ID# 25LM, PCGS# 7849

1898 Quarter Eagle, MS67 Unsurpassed Surface Quality





3932 1898 MS67 NGC. Frosted mint luster blazes over sharply struck surfaces of this coruscated 1898 quarter eagle. A solid Superb Gem example from a 24,000-piece mintage, it features fantastic eye appeal combined with outstanding surface quality. There are no alloy spots that are often seen on the issue — an obvious circulation strike, confirmed by its frostlike surfaces and a pair of short reverse die cracks. Census: 38 in 67 (4 in 67+, 4 in 67★), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25LN, PCGS# 7850

PROOF LIBERTY QUARTER EAGLES

1892 Liberty Quarter Eagle, PR62 CAC-Endorsed Cameo Example





3933 1892 PR62 Cameo NGC. CAC. JD-1, R.5. Only 105 proof Liberty quarter eagles were struck in 1892, all from a single pair of dies, with the date positioned farther to the left than on the business-strike dies. This CAC endorsed PR62 specimen displays sharply detailed design elements, with deeply mirrored fields that create bold cameo contrast with the frosty devices. Census: 6 in 62 Cameo, 15 finer. CAC: 2 in 62, 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 288F, PCGS# 87918

1905 Liberty Quarter Eagle, PR63 Rare Cameo Example





3934 1905 PR63 Cameo NGC. CAC. JD-1, R.4. The Mint switched to an all-brilliant finish for proof coins in 1902, making examples with Cameo contrast much more elusive in following years. This impressive Select proof offers sharply detailed, frosty design elements that contrast boldly with the deeply mirrored fields. The pleasing yellow-gold surfaces show only minor marks and hairlines on close inspection. Census: 5 in 63 Cameo, 15 finer. CAC: 3 in 63, 7 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 288V, PCGS# 87931

1906 Quarter Eagle, PR60 Bright Yellow-Gold Surfaces





3935 1906 PR60 NGC. JD-1, R.5. Of the 160 proofs that were struck, it is estimated that a high percentage still survive, some 100 to 120 pieces may be known today. This is an unmistakable proof strike. The fields show mirroring as only a proof can, and the strike is complete in every detail. Lightly hairlined, there are also a couple of unfortunate marks, the most notable in the field out from the nose of Liberty and in the field above the head. The surfaces are bright yellow-gold with slight field-device contrast seen on each side. NGC ID# 288W, PCGS# 7932

INDIAN QUARTER EAGLES

1909 Indian Quarter Eagle, MS65 Rarely Seen Finer



3936 1909 MS65 PCGS. From a mintage of 441,700 pieces, the 1909 is the third-rarest Indian quarter eagle in absolute terms today, behind the 1911-D and 1914 issues. That said, the 1909 can still be found in lower Mint State grades without too much difficulty, but the issue becomes scarce in MS65 condition, and finer coins are rare. This spectacular Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements and well-preserved orange-gold surfaces that radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides. Overall eye appeal is outstanding. Housed in a green label holder. PCGS has certified 23 numerically finer examples (12/19). NGC ID# 288Z, PCGS# 7940

1911 Two and a Half, MS65 Scarce CAC Example





3937 1911 MS65 PCGS. CAC. A sharp, luminous Gem with exceptionally clean fields that earn CAC recognition. Only a light graze on the Indian's cheek seems to prevent consideration of a finer grade for this coin. Rich tangerine-orange and peach-gold hues produce incredible warmth, which adds to the visual appeal. PCGS lists a single MS66 coin numerically finer. CAC: 56 in 65, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 7KR6, PCGS# 7942

1911-D Quarter Eagle, AU55 Lowest Mintage in the Set





3938 1911-D AU55 NGC. The mintmark is faint but apparent on this key Denver Mint quarter eagle, one of only 55,680 coins struck. Yellow-gold surfaces exhibit good detail with minimal rub and few obvious or singular abrasions. The diagnostic raised fin of metal is present around much of the upper obverse rim and the corresponding area on the other side. NGC ID# 7KR7, PCGS# 7943

1911-D Quarter Eagle, MS60 Unchallenged Key to the Series





3939 1911-D MS60 ANACS. The headdress, eagle, and all-important mintmark are strongly defined on this bright Uncirculated two and a half dollar gold piece. Of the small marks on each side, only one in front of the Indian's nose and another in the field left of the eagle merit mention. The 1911-D is the unchallenged key to the Pratt quarter eagle series with a mintage of 55,680 coins. Housed in a small sized holder. NGC ID# 7KR7, PCGS# 7943

1914 Quarter Eagle, MS64 Scarce Any Finer





3940 1914 MS64 NGC. Uniform orange-gold color covers this near-Gem example of the second most challenging issue in the series, with only 240,000 coins struck. Each side exhibits crisp detail and soft mint luster with limited ticks and hairlines. The 1914 becomes conditionally scarce any finer. NGC ID# 7KRA, PCGS# 7946

THREE DOLLAR GOLD PIECES

1857 Three Dollar Gold, MS63 Lustrous Mint State Example





- 3941 1857 MS63 NGC. This lovely example offers light yellow-gold luster and satiny surfaces. Both sides are lightly abraded, consistent with the grade. Minor clash marks can be seen in the fields. The 1857 is an available date in the series, with a mintage of 20,891 coins. Although a seemingly small production, that is actually the eighth highest in the entire three dollar denomination. Census: 15 in 63 (1 in 63+), 8 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 7K5G, PCGS# 7976
- 3942 1878 MS62 PCGS. CAC. No other three dollar gold issue better represents the type than the collectible 1878, with its high survival rate and mintage of 82,304 coins. This is a shimmering reddish-gold example with great eye appeal and a CAC approval sticker to boot. Grazes are minimal, and the devices are well-struck. A pleasing Mint State three dollar gold piece. NGC ID# 25MZ, PCGS# 8000

1878 Three Dollar, MS63 Rich Reddish-Lilac Mint Frost





3943 1878 MS63 PCGS. For type collectors, the 1878 is hard to beat. This is a particularly noteworthy example, especially for the grade. The coin appears to have been hand-selected and carefully preserved. The mint luster is thick and frosted. Each side displays deep reddish color with occasional streaks of lilac interspersed (more on the reverse). Only shallow abrasions are present. Solid value for the grade.

From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 25MZ, PCGS# 8000

1888 Three Dollar, MS65 Lustrous With Rich Rose-Lilac Patina





3944 1888 MS65 PCGS. All 5,000 strikes for circulation were delivered in April, but it is possible fewer were actually dropped into commerce. Samuel Chapman later commented, "Of the later years of the \$3, large numbers were remelted at the Philadelphia Mint." This is a lovely and original coin. The surfaces display the usual mint frost, and there are no signs of later "improvement," as each side shows rich rose and lilac patina. A few minor marks can be seen with a magnifier, but this is a solid Gem example. NGC ID# 25NB, PCGS# 8010

EARLY HALF EAGLES

1805 Capped Bust Right Five, XF Details Popular BD-2 Variety





3945 1805 BD-2, R.4 — Cleaned — NGC Details. XF. Bass-Dannreuther Die State d/a, with no clash marks or lapping on the reverse. This coin show IT in UNITED apart and the leaf does not touch the I in AMERICA, identifying the BD-2 variety. This still-attractive example shows light wear on the devices and the orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded. The flat luster characteristics indicate a light cleaning in the past.

1807 Bust Left Half Eagle, VF Details BD-8, First-Year Type Coin





3946 1807 Bust Left, BD-8, R.2 — Mount Removed — PCGS Genuine. VF Details. Bass-Dannreuther Die State d/b. The obverse is lightly clashed, although wear makes it difficult to see at first or even second glance. The collectible BD-8 Bust Left half eagle serves as a popular first-year type issue. The present coin shows evidence of having a mount removed at 12 o'clock on the obverse, which is now obscured by one of the holder prongs. Myriad abrasions are scattered over the yellow-gold surfaces. However, attractive reddish accents appear around the devices. Additionally, the stars retain strong radials, and the curls and feathers remain bold for the grade level.

1808 Capped Bust Left Half Eagle, AU53 Wide 5D, BD-4 Variety





3947 1808 Wide 5D, BD-4, High R.3, AU53 NGC. Bass-Dannreuther Die State c/a, with no clash marks on the reverse. The normal date and Wide 5D in the denomination identify the BD-4 variety. This impressive AU53 example exhibits only light wear on the design elements and the lightly abraded orange-gold surfaces retain much of their original mint luster. The overall presentation is most attractive. NGC ID# 25PA, PCGS# 507605 Base PCGS# 8102

1809/8 Capped Bust Left Five, AU Details Popular *Guide Book* Variety, BD-1





3948 1809/8 BD-1, High R.3 — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. Bass-Dannreuther Die State a/b, with clash marks on the reverse. An artifact shows below the final digit in the date, but both Harry Bass and John Dannreuther doubt the overdate status of this popular *Guide Book* variety. The underdigit may be a misplaced 9 instead. This coin shows only light wear on the strongly impressed design elements, and the lightly abraded orange-gold surfaces retain traces of original mint luster, despite the noted cleaning.

1810 BD-4 Half Eagle, AU50 Large Date, Large 5, Vibrant Luster Remains





3949 1810 Large Date, Large 5, BD-4, R.2, AU50 PCGS. Bass-Dannreuther Die State a/a: no cracks or clashes. Mint luster remains vibrant around the devices of this minimally circulated Capped Bust half eagle. The overall strike is strong, and there are just a few adjustment marks visible on the dentils at 10 o'clock on the reverse. Reddish accents appear at the lower obverse, but light yellow-gold color dominates. BD-4 is the most collectible of the four die varieties for the year and one of the most accessible early five dollar gold pieces. Housed in a green label holder. NGC ID# BFXP, PCGS# 507598 Base PCGS# 8108

1810 Half Eagle, AU Details Large Date, Large 5, BD-4





3950 1810 Large Date, Large 5, BD-4, R.2 — Repaired, Cleaned — NCS. AU Details. Bass-Dannreuther Die State c/d. Clashed above and behind Liberty's cap near stars 8 and 9. This represents one of the most collectible early half eagle varieties in the entire series, all dates included. Deep reddish-gold surfaces remain well-defined despite evidence of smoothing to remove marks and hairlines from cleaning.

1812 BD-1 Half Eagle, XF40 Collector-Grade Example in Green Holder





3951 1812 BD-1, R.3, XF40 PCGS. Bass-Dannreuther Die State a/a. The curved die line within the shield is as diagnostic as the spacing of the denomination. An original example with goldentan toning where luster persists. Close inspection locates relatively unimportant marks. Some strike weakness is apparent on the eagle's neck, exaggerated by light wear. Certified in a green label holder. Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 5/2008), lot 3187. NGC ID# 25PL, PCGS# 507601 Base PCGS# 8112

1813 Five Dollar, AU50 BD-2, Strongly Detailed





3952 1813 BD-2, R.4, AU50 NGC. Bass-Dannreuther Die State d/b. Light clash marks on each side. BD-2 is the rarer of two die varieties, distinguished by the first S in STATES relatively close to the scroll end. John Dannreuther has suggested this die marriage represented roughly 25% of all 1813 half eagles struck, and an estimated 150 to 200 pieces survive. Hints of luster glitter within the star recesses. Light merging and trivial wispy marks occur over orange-gold surfaces. Strike detail remains strong with full radial lines, and bold curls and feathers. NGC ID# 25PM, PCGS# 45648 Base PCGS# 8116

3953 No Lot

CLASSIC HALF EAGLES

1834 Classic Head Half Eagle, MS61+ Sharp Strike, Plain 4, McCloskey 2-B





3954 1834 Plain 4 MS61+ NGC. Breen-6502, McCloskey 2-B, R.3. Second Head. Block 8. The four in the date is triple punched, and the eagle lacks a tongue. The stand-out feature of this 1834 Classic Head half eagle is the pinpoint-sharp strike on the stars, portrait, and eagle. Partial mint luster glows from green-gold surfaces that show scattered ticks and hairlines. A perfect type coin. NGC ID# 25RR, PCGS# 8171

1834 Classic Head Half Eagle, VF30 Elusive Crosslet 4 Variant





3955 1834 Crosslet 4 VF30 PCGS. Breen-6503, McCloskey 5-D, R.4. Second Head. Smoothly worn surfaces have a greenish-gold tinge, with a scattering of minor abrasions soothed by moderate circulation. Evidence of its original sharp strike remains throughout the reverse motifs, while Liberty's portrait shows grade-consistent wear. The Crosslet 4 variety is vastly scarcer than its Plain 4 counterpart, by a factor of about 1 in 10. Population: 12 in 30, 99 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25RU, PCGS# 8172

1834 Crosslet 4 Classic Five, XF40 Key Philadelphia Variety





3956 1834 Crosslet 4 XF40 PCGS. Breen-6503, McCloskey 5-D, R.4. Second Head. The Crosslet 4 half eagle was unknown to general public until an example was reported stolen from the Waldo Newcomer in the November 1913 Numismatist. His extensive U.S. coin collection was victimized by a Baltimore burglar while the Newcomer home was unoccupied during the summer. Only one die marriage is known for the 1834 Classic Crosslet 4, and it is much scarcer than its Plain 4 counterpart. This is an evenly circulated but problem-free almond-gold representative. Luster glimmers from the legends and other design recesses. NGC ID# 25RU, PCGS# 8172

1834 Classic Head Five, AU55 Important Crosslet 4 Variety





3957 1834 Crosslet 4 AU55 NGC. Breen-6503, McCloskey 5-D, R.4. Second Head. The 1834 Classic Head Crosslet 4 half eagle is the key among Philadelphia issues in this series, with a rarity factor of about 10 to 1 compared to its Plain 4 counterpart. The combined population at NGC and PCGS includes 213 submissions, which is likely inflated. CoinFacts estimates only 125 examples survive. This partly lustrous Choice AU five dollar gold piece maintains largely visible star radials and good detail over the centers with a touch of expected friction. Faint clash marks appear within the shield stripes, and minor abrasions are scattered throughout. Census: 21 in 55, 22 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 25RU, PCGS# 8172

1835 Five Dollar, MS61 Script 8, McCloskey 3-D





3958 1835 MS61 NGC. Breen-6505, McCloskey 3-D, R.3. Second Head. Classic half eagles are more readily obtained than their old tenor predecessors, but Mint State pieces are undeniably scarce. This butter-gold representative displays luster throughout the motifs and margins. The strike is crisp, and no marks are of singular import. Eight die marriages of 1835 half eagles are confirmed, but McCloskey 3-D is quickly identified by its Script 8 and eagle's tongue. NGC ID# 25RV, PCGS# 8173

1837 Classic Head Half Eagle, AU58 Large Date, Block 8, McCloskey 1-A





3959 1837 AU58 NGC. Large Date, Block 8, Breen-6511, McCloskey 1-A, R.4. The Block 8 in the date and the double forehead curl identify the elusive McCloskey 1-A variety. This impressive near-Mint specimen offers well-detailed design elements, with just a trace of friction on the high points of the devices. The orange-gold surfaces retain a few traces of original mint luster and only scattered minor abrasions are noted. NGC ID# 25RZ, PCGS# 8175

1838 Five Dollar, MS61 Final-Year Classic Head Issue





3960 1838 MS61 NGC. Breen-6515, McCloskey 2-B, R.1. The 1838 Classic Head five is scarce in all Mint State grades. Two varieties exist for the Philadelphia issue. The present McCloskey 2-B coin displays the Small Arrows reverse, and a Large 5 in the denomination. This example is lustrous and attractive, with medium-gold surfaces and orange accents near the rims. Light field abrasions are grade-consistent, and the strike is sharp with only minor loss of detail on the centers of stars 5 and 6. Census: 36 in 61, 52 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 25S4, PCGS# 8176

1838-C Half Eagle, XF Details Classic Head Charlotte Type Coin





3961 1838-C — Cleaned — NGC Details. XF. Breen-6517, Variety 1, R.4. Normal 5. Light wear and moderate abrasions characterize the olive-gold surfaces of this XF-level first year Charlotte five, although the cleaning noted by PCGS is only apparent when the coin is angled away from a light and faint hairlines become visible. The coin is otherwise pleasing. Congress authorized the Charlotte Mint to serve the gold mining communities of the South in the 1830s. Virtually all of the gold produced at this branch mint came from local sources.

1838-D Half Eagle, AU Details Sole D-Mint Classic Head Five





3962 1838-D — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. McCloskey 1-A, R.3. The 1838-D is not only a single-year type and a first-year issue from the storied Dahlonega Mint, it is the third-rarest Classic Head five dollar gold of the series regardless of mint. Only the 1834 Crosslet 4 and 1838-C are scarcer. This green-gold example shows bright surfaces from cleaning, as well as signs of wear at Liberty's curls and at the eagle's wingtips. About Uncirculated sharpness remains, sure to generate considerable collector interest.

1838-D Half Eagle, AU Details Celebrated Single-Year Type





3963 1838-D — Altered Surfaces — PCGS Genuine. AU Details. McCloskey 1-A, R.3. As a first-year issue at the Dahlonega Mint, the 1838-D is in demand not only among branch mint gold collectors, but as the only Classic Head half eagle struck at the Georgia facility. This is a bright, greenish-gold example with a touch of high-point wear and overly brilliant surfaces, as if buffed or whizzed. Sharp About Uncirculated definition remains, as does a significant amount of visual interest.

1838-D Classic Half Eagle Important Debut D-Mint Issue





3964 1838-D PCGS Genuine. McCloskey 1-A, R.3. The PCGS number ending in .92 suggests Cleaning as the reason, or perhaps one of the reasons, that PCGS deemed this coin not gradable. In our opinion, this coin has the details of an AU specimen that has been cleaned and has light obverse damage in the form of scattered tiny hits. Detail is sharp, and the orange-gold coloration is pleasing. The sought-after first-year Dahlonega issue, a key date in the Classic Head series.

LIBERTY HALF EAGLES

1840-C Five Dollar, XF45 Elusive North Carolina Issue





3965 1840-C XF45 PCGS. Variety 1. About 150 1840-C half eagles are believed extant from a mintage of 18,992 coins, making this one of the most elusive Charlotte Mint five dollar gold pieces in the series. Anything above the Choice XF level is scarce, and Uncirculated coins are essentially unobtainable. This apricot-gold example is in a late die state with a break through the I in AMERICA. The coin shows typical strike definition at the centers, but the upper stars exhibit strong detail. Myriad small marks appear in the fields, and there are a couple of identifying abrasions on Liberty's cheek. Housed in a previous generation blue label holder with barcode on the back. Population: 22 in 45, 55 finer (1/20).

From The Brookside Collection. NGC ID# 25VD, PCGS# 8196

1842-C Half Eagle, AU53 Eye-Catching Large Date Coin





3966 1842-C Large Date AU53 PCGS. Variety 1. Although not as rare as the famous Small Date variety, the Large Date 1842-C is scarce in its own right. This partially lustrous About Uncirculated coin displays lilac-blue overtones across the central devices, with vibrant orange-gold perimeters. Numerous small abrasions dot the fields, with a couple of larger contacts on either side of the eagle's head. Slight central softness is a combination of strike and wear. Housed in an old green label holder. Population: 11 in 53, 25 finer (1/20). From The Brookside Collection. NGC ID# 25SW, PCGS# 8209

1843 Five Dollar, MS60 Ex: S.S. New York





3967 1843 MS60 NGC. Ex: S.S. New York. This coin was minted only three years prior to the sinking of the New York in 1846 in the Gulf of Mexico. The Uncirculated surfaces do show, however, the effects of long-time submersion in saltwater. Bright yellow-gold overall with slightly reflective fields, the strike details are sharp throughout. NGC ID# 94FD, PCGS# 8213

1843-C Half Eagle, XF45 Minimally Abraded for the Issue





3968 1843-C XF45 PCGS. Variety 1. This Choice XF 1843-C remains in its old green label PCGS holder, with sharply defined devices and rich, medium-gold color. A few widely scattered marks join some delicate hairlines in the fields. Two die marriages accomplished the 44,227-piece mintage — this coin is the scarcer variety, with the mintmark slightly right and a faint die crack above ATE in STATES. Residual mint luster adds to the eye appeal. Population: 23 in 45, 58 finer (1/20).

From The Brookside Collection. NGC ID# 429H, PCGS# 8214

1843-O Half Eagle, AU55 Scarce Small Letters Type





3969 1843-O Small Letters AU55 NGC. CAC. Variety 2. Pleasing olive-gold color adorns the Choice surfaces of this About Uncirculated Small Letters five. The mintmark is small as well. This issue is usually seen in well-circulated conditions, some with the upper obverse stars struck-through and barely visible. The present coin is from an early die state, with the legends and stars retaining their original sharpness. CAC endorsement confirms the quality surfaces and plentiful eye appeal. Census: 13 in 55, 15 finer. CAC: 3 in 55, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25T5, PCGS# 8217

1844 Half Eagle, Bright MS62 Pinpoint-Sharp Strike





3970 1844 MS62 NGC. The 1844 half eagle ranks among the more collectible No Motto five dollar gold pieces, although it is scarce at this level and rarely offered above MS63. This is a bright, pinpoint-sharp example with outstanding central design detail and crisp stars. Mint luster glows around the borders, while peppered abrasions explain the technical grade. Census: 11 in 62, 13 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 25T7, PCGS# 8219

1844-D Half Eagle, AU53 Well-Defined Orange-Gold Example





3971 1844-D AU53 PCGS. Variety 11-G. The top of the 1 is blatantly repunched. The 1844-D is generally considered a more collectible Dahlonega half eagle, though only 400 to 500 pieces are available in all grades for the entire collecting community. Most of them survive in VF and XF condition. This well-defined orange-gold representative shows minimal signs of circulation and partial luster around the devices. Small marks and hairlines, and expected softness occur on each side. Excellent eye appeal overall. NGC ID# 25T9, PCGS# 8221

1847-D Five Dollar, AU55 Scarcer Than Generally Perceived





3972 1847-D AU55 NGC. Variety 19-I. The D mintmark leans right, and a crack travels through the top of FIVE D. This Southern half eagle issue is scarcer than it is generally perceived to be. Probably around 300 examples survive, mostly in VF through lower AU grades. The devices display impressive detail for the facility, and each side features attractive reddish-gold color. A diagonal planchet void occurs between 84 in the date, and a small dig appears right of the 7. NGC ID# 25TP, PCGS# 8234

1850-C Half Eagle, AU50 Strong Reverse





3973 1850-C AU50 PCGS. Variety 4. The 1 in the date is free of the bust, and the mintmark is weak. The issue's mintage of 63,591 coins ensures its status as a relatively collectible Charlotte Mint product. The reverse is strongly struck, while the obverse is marginally softer, contrary to what is normally seen. The lower part of the eagle exhibits particularly bold definition on the legs, talons, fletchings, and olive leaves. Attractive yellow-gold surfaces show reddishviolet accents and a few tiny, peppered abrasions.

From The Brookside Collection. NGC ID# 25TZ, PCGS# 8244

1851-O Five Dollar, AU55 Well-Struck, Deep Orange-Gold Color





3974 1851-O AU55 NGC. Variety 1. The mintmark is centered between the leaf and VE, and the peak of the first 1 in the date is repunched. A deep shade of orange-gold colors surfaces that maintain faint glimmers of satin luster around the devices. The rims are broad and the strike is generally strong with minor rub over the exposed elements of the design. A pinscratch in the left obverse field is the only singular flaw. Census: 17 in 55, 26 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25U9, PCGS# 8249

1852-D Half Eagle, AU50 Collectible Dahlonega Issue





3975 1852-D AU50 NGC. Variety 32-V. The usual variety with the 2 in the date distant from the bust and the mintmark touching the tip of the fletching. Dahlonega five dollar production increased by nearly 50% in 1852, totaling 91,584 coins and making this one of the most collectible issues from the Georgia facility. Luster glows around the devices of this lightly circulated reddish-gold representative. Both sides are typically struck with scattered marks, including a scrape above the E in LIBERTY. Overall eye appeal remains impressive. NGC ID# 25UC, PCGS# 8252

1853-C Half Eagle, AU50 Rare Weak C Variety





3976 1853-C AU50 PCGS. Variety 3. The Charlotte Mint struck 65,571 half eagles in 1853, making this one of the most collectible five dollar gold issues from the North Carolina facility. This is an example of the Weak C variety, and rare as such. Per the moniker, the mintmark is faint but visible. The stars exhibit complete radials, and the eagle's feathers and olive leaves are bold. Orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded with deep reddish accents. The coin remains in its previous generation green label holder. Population: 23 in 50, 64 finer (1/20).

From The Brookside Collection. NGC ID# 25UE, PCGS# 8254

1853-D Half Eagle, AU58 Hint of Field Reflectivity





3977 1853-D AU58 PCGS. Variety 35-AA. The mintmark touches the branch stem and shows repunching at the base on this scarce variety. This Dahlonega five dollar issue represents the most collectible Georgia mint half eagle in absolute terms and in high grades. Nearly 90,000 coins were minted. The outer elements are better defined on this near-Mint offering than the central motifs. Orange-gold surfaces display a hint of reflectivity in the fields. NGC ID# 25UF, PCGS# 8255

1859-C Five Dollar, AU53 Strong Portrait





3978 1859-C AU53 PCGS. Variety 1. The inner loops of the 8 in the date are small, and the 1 is centered directly over a dentil. Liberty's curls are strongly delineated on this lightly circulated Charlotte Mint five. Design detail on the eagle shows characteristic softness from an improperly annealed die. Deep yellow-gold surfaces exhibit a hint of field reflectivity. A linear scrape before the portrait is the only singular flaw. From a mintage of 31,847 coins, of which 225 or so survive. Population: 14 in 53, 28 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 25VC, PCGS# 8281

1870-S Half Eagle, AU55 Underrated S-Mint Five





3979 1870-S AU55 PCGS. No 1870-S half eagles have been certified in Mint State. According to PCGS, fewer than 100 examples are known in all grades combined. In Choice AU condition, this piece is decidedly high-end for the issue. Elements of luster remain in the fields, complementing peach-orange and yellow-gold coloration. Detail is sharp, and only light wear appears on the devices. Population: 12 in 55, 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25WB, PCGS# 8321

1876 Half Eagle, AU Details Impressively Low Mintage





3980 1876 — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. The Philadelphia Mint coined a mere 1,432 half eagles in 1876, following the 200 coin mintage of 1875. These pieces rarely come on the market, regardless of grade or condition. This pinkish-yellow example has slightly reflective fields that host myriad handling marks and faint cleaning lines, yet remains highly attractive. An important opportunity for the half eagle aficionado.

1876-CC Five Dollar, AU Details





3981 1876-CC — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. Variety 1-A. There are a couple of wear points on the base of Liberty's bust, but all other wear on this coin could easily be attributed to being a product of cleaning. Each side is satiny with subdued luster and bright brassgold color. A well-struck Carson City half eagle, pleasing despite the Details grade.

1879 Half Eagle, MS64 High-End Philadelphia Five Dollar





3982 1879 MS64 NGC. This Philadelphia issue is the most collectible Liberty Head half eagle for the year in high grades with 301,921 coins having been struck after gold and paper currency reached parity. Nevertheless, examples are scarce in MS64 and rare any higher. A handful of thin marks and tiny ticks barely limit the grade for this smooth, softly lustrous, and fully struck near-Gem. Rich yellow-gold color is readily appealing. Census: 20 in 64 (1 in 64+, 1 in 64 ★), 6 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25X7, PCGS# 8348

1880 Liberty Five Dollar, MS65 Bright Mint Frost





3983 1880 MS65 NGC. With 3.1 million coins minted and a fairly substantial high-grade survival rate, the 1880 half eagle is a collectible 19th century type issue, although it remains much scarcer than the 1881, for example. Bright mint frost and luminous golden-yellow color define this well-struck Philadelphia Gem. A depression below Liberty's earlobe is the only one of note. Census: 28 in 65 (4 in 65+, 2 in 65 ★), 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25XA, PCGS# 8351

1880 Half Eagle, MS65 Rich Orange Patina





3984 1880 MS65 PCGS. Philadelphia mintages of half eagles and eagles were low for most years during the 1860s and 1870s, due to heavy coinage of double eagles at San Francisco. But between 1880 and 1882, Philly production of fives and tens exceeded a million pieces for each of the six issues. Although bagmarked 1880 half eagles are plentiful, Gems are conditionally rare. The present lustrous example displays pleasing peach-gold toning and a good strike. The reverse is essentially pristine, and the obverse shows only delicate signs of contact. Population: 27 in 65 (5 in 65+), 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25XA, PCGS# 8351

1882 Half Eagle, MS65+ One Finer Coin at PCGS





3985 1882 MS65+ PCGS. The mass-produced 1882 half eagle claims a large mintage of 2.5 million coins. The dies used to strike this high-end Gem were nearing the end of their life, showing heavy clash marks in the fields and die cracks through the peripheral elements. The olive leaves and outer left leg feathers are slightly lapped. Frosty orange-gold surfaces exhibit crisp strike definition and fantastic eye appeal. Population: 15 in 65 (3 in 65+), 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25XI, PCGS# 8358

1886 Five Dollar, MS64+ Profound Orange-Gold Color





3986 1886 MS64+ PCGS. The year 1886 is famous for its low production of 1,000 double eagles. Five dollar gold pieces are much more available, struck to the extent of 388,360 coins. This Plusdesignated Choice Uncirculated half eagle is well-struck with radiant luster and profound orange-gold surfaces that show minimal ticks for the grade. Population: 21 in 64 (2 in 64+), 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25XU, PCGS# 8369

1895-S Five Dollar, MS64 Conditionally Rare at This Level





3987 1895-S MS64 PCGS. Uncirculated examples of the 1895-S half eagle are rare in all grades, especially in MS64 or finer. This near-Gem displays a sharp strike and softly frosted luster. Original honeygold surfaces reveal no major abrasions. The six finest examples of the 1895-S reported by the grading services are two MS64s and two MS66s at PCGS, plus an MS65 and another MS66 at NGC (12/19); some duplication may exist in the figures. NGC ID# 25YJ, PCGS# 8391

1898 Five Dollar, MS65+ Thick Mint Luster





3988 1898 MS65+ PCGS. Mint luster is the primary focus on this Gem type coin. It is frosted throughout with only the slightest pecks in the surface keep the grade from an even loftier level. The strike details are full throughout and the color is even over each side. Well-balanced and attractive. Population: 15 in 65 (3 in 65+), 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25YP, PCGS# 8396

1899-S Five Dollar, MS65+ Exemplary Surface Quality Rarely Offered in This Grade





3989 1899-S MS65+ PCGS. Despite a mintage of more than 1.5 million coins, the 1899-S Liberty Head five is seldom seen in any grade above MS63, and Gems are rare. This Plus-graded Gem displays satiny orange-gold luster with rose tints. Strike sharpness is outstanding, and neither side exhibits bothersome abrasions. Population: 11 in 65 (2 in 65+), 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25YT, PCGS# 8399

1900 Half Eagle, MS66+ Beautifully Preserved Type Coin





3990 1900 MS66+ PCGS. CAC. Plentiful in lower grades, the 1900 Liberty half eagle is quite scarce in MS66, and just a handful of finer pieces are known. This CAC-endorsed, Plus-graded Premium Gem displays sharp design elements and frosty prairie-gold mint luster. A loupe fails to reveal any noteworthy abrasions. Population: 16 in 66 (2 in 66+), 2 finer. CAC: 9 in 66, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25YV, PCGS# 8400

1902-S Half Eagle, MS64 Prooflike Rare With Field-Device Contrast





3991 1902-S MS64 Prooflike PCGS. This is the only Prooflike 1902-S half eagle at PCGS, which just recently began awarding that designation, but only 14 examples qualify for this category at NGC. Two are in MS64 Prooflike and none are finer (1/20). As expected, the fields on this near-Gem are noticeably reflective, contrasting against fully struck central devices. Stars 1 to 5 are trivially incomplete. This well-preserved, rich yellow-gold half eagle should draw considerable attention from series specialists, who seldom have the opportunity to compete for coins like this one. PCGS# 88406 Base PCGS# 78406

1903 Liberty Five, MS66 Exceptional Type Coin





3992 1903 MS66 NGC. Despite the substantial mintage of 226,800 pieces, the 1903 Liberty half eagle is rare in MS66 condition and finer coins are virtually unobtainable. This delightful Premium Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout and the virtually flawless orange-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides. Overall visual appeal is terrific. Census: 6 in 66, 5 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 2572. PCGS# 8407

1903-S Five Dollar, MS66+ Near the Condition Census





3993 1903-S MS66+ NGC. MS66 is where the 1903-S half eagle becomes conditionally scarce, and higher grades are rarely — if ever — seen. This is the only Premium Gem at NGC with a Plus designation. Softly frosted luster illuminates warm orange-gold patina without the distraction of abrasions. Sharp devices complete the eye appeal. Census: 41 in 66 (1 in 66+), 9 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25Z3, PCGS# 8408

1904 Half Eagle, MS66+ Conditionally Rare, Splendid Appeal





3994 1904 MS66+ PCGS. CAC. An extremely important condition rarity, this Plus-graded Premium Gem is highly lustrous with satin surfaces, brilliant lemon-yellow color, and bold design features. The mintage of 392,000 suggests an issue that is available in all grades. However, population reports confirm otherwise — the average certified grade is only MS62. Population: 26 in 66 (8 in 66+), 7 finer. CAC: 12 in 66, 4 finer (1/20).

Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 3/2013), lot 4260; New York Signature (Heritage, 10/2014. NGC ID# 25Z6, PCGS# 8409

1906-D Five Dollar, MS66 The First Denver Mint Issue





3995 1906-D MS66 PCGS. CAC. The 1906-D represents the first issue in a set of Denver Mint fives. Most certified examples fall within the MS61 to MS64 range. Gems are scarce, and MS66 is the highest collectible grade level for the issue. Vibrant satin mint luster shimmers across honey-gold surfaces devoid of singular flaws. The strike is slightly uneven, but the date, olive leaves, wings, and neck feathers show crisp detail. Population: 8 in 66 (2 in 66+), 1 finer. CAC: 5 in 66, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25ZA, PCGS# 8414

1908 Half Eagle, MS66+ Last Year of the Series





3996 1908 MS66+ PCGS. CAC. The 1908 issue brought an end to the Liberty half eagle series that began in 1840, with the Indian Head design introduced later in the year. Yellow and green-gold shades prevail on this Plus-graded Premium Gem representative. The piece exhibits a sharp strike and minimally marked surfaces. Population: 51 in 66 (2 in 66+), 9 finer. CAC: 9 in 66, 5 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 25ZE, PCGS# 8418

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1908 Indian Head Five, MS65+ Seldom Seen With CAC Approval





3997 1908 MS65+ PCGS. CAC. The first-year Indian half eagle is plentiful in MS65, as many examples were preserved as novelties at the time of issue. However, few examples are high enough quality to warrant CAC recognition. This Plus-graded example is. Original peach-gold and orange-tinted luster is beautifully preserved throughout the fields, and the strike sharpness is outstanding. CAC: 54 in 65, 11 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 28DE, PCGS# 8510

1909-O Five Dollar Indian, AU Details





3998 1909-O — Cleaning — PCGS Genuine. AU Details. As the key date in the five dollar Indian series, the 1909-O is the subject of constant demand by collectors. The mintage was impressively low with only 34,200 pieces struck. This coin has its problems, but it presents the collector with the opportunity to acquire this widely recognized key at a more affordable price level. The mintmark is sharp, unlike many 1909-O fives. Light hairlines can be seen across each side, and there are a few shallow diagonal scratches noted in the center of the reverse. Still, a presentable example of this rarity.

1911-D Half Eagle, AU58 Smooth, Lustrous Surfaces





3999 1911-D AU58 PCGS. An accurately graded near-Mint coin that shows only the faintest brush of friction over each side, leaving the recessed design elements with ample luster. Coins of this quality are frequently graded in the low Mint State range when they are more heavily abraded. With smooth, unmarked surfaces and original orange-gold color, this near-Mint coin is visually superior to just about any 1911-D half eagle that we have seen graded MS60 to MS62. A prize for the Indian gold specialist. NGC ID# 28DR, PCGS# 8521

EARLY EAGLES

1799 Capped Bust Right Eagle, AU Details Small Obverse Stars, BD-7





4000 1799 Small Obverse Stars, BD-7, R.3 — Repaired — PCGS Genuine. AU Details. Bass-Dannreuther Die State d/d, with a die crack through E in LIBERTY. This coin was struck from a remarriage of the dies, after the obverse had been used to strike the BD-8 variety of this date. The obverse dentils show crumbling at 7 and 10 o'clock and peripheral die cracks travel through the obverse stars on both sides. The slightly granular orange-gold surfaces show minor abrasions and chatter in the fields and some repair is evident in the area of the clouds.

From The McDonald Family Collection.

1801 BD-2 Ten Dollar, Unc Details Early Die State





4001 1801 BD-2, R.2 — Tooled — PCGS Genuine. Unc Details. Bass-Dannreuther Die State a/a, unclashed. This piece is from the earliest state of these dies without the spines that later appear in the cap, and far before clash marks appear. The surfaces are satiny with deep orange-gold patina and strong detail. Areas of planchet granularity (mint made) appear near stars 4 and 5, the ERT in LIBERTY, and on the lower part of Liberty's bust, portions of which appear to have been smoothed out by tooling. The fields have scattered hairlines, but this coin is much more appealing than most Details graded coins that we have seen of this type.

LIBERTY EAGLES

1850-O Ten Dollar, AU50 Seldom Seen Finer Than This





4002 1850-O AU50 NGC. Variety 1. The 1850-O ten is moderately scarce as an issue, but decidedly difficult in higher grades than this piece. Streaks of honey toning overlay this typically struck and moderately example. Unlike other O-mint issues between 1848 and 1853, the 1850-O never comes with a shield ring atop the second vertical stripe. Softly struck in the centers. Scarcer than implied by the mintage of 57,500 pieces.

Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 7/2006), lot 1398.

From The Wabash Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2639, PCGS# 8605

1851-O Ten Dollar, Bright AU58 Newly Discovered Variety





4003 1851-O AU58 PCGS. Variety 5. This is a newly discovered variety, one that shows a lower-positioned date like Variety 2, but the mintmark is rotated differently from the normal Variety 2 position. Apparently rare as such. The 1851-O is a popular issue with collectors as it is relatively available in AU condition with a few Uncs even known. This is a bright example with semireflective fields. The central devices are sharply struck but the peripheral stars show weakness, as often seen on this issue. Minimally abraded. NGC ID# 263B, PCGS# 8607

1853/'2' Eagle, AU58 Debunked Overdate Variety





4004 1853/'2' AU58 PCGS. The artifact within the 3, described by Breen as an underdigit 2 and long-accepted as such, does not match the 2 punch on the 1852 eagle logotype. Nevertheless, the 1853/'2' maintains its own listing in the *Guide Book*. This borderline-Uncirculated example shows well-detailed central motifs and yellow-gold color with hints of remaining luster. Myriad abrasions are scattered over each side. NGC ID# C82G, PCGS# 8611

1853/'2' Liberty Eagle, AU58 Popular Guide Book Listing





4005 1853/'2' AU58 NGC. This popular *Guide Book* variety features what has been in the past called an overdate. A couple of raised lines are visible in the lower loop of the 3, but the grading services now question whether this artifact is really the remnants of a 2, or something else. This partially lustrous Choice AU representative displays orange-gold surfaces with the usual minor chatter. Census: 29 in 58, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# C82G, PCGS# 8611

1856-O Ten Dollar, AU50 Underrated New Orleans Issue





4006 1856-O AU50 NGC. Variety 1. The obverse shows die rust around LIBE, and the O mintmark is low relative to the fletching. Far less well-known than its double eagle counterpart, the 1856-O ten dollar gold piece has a survivorship of only 100 to 125 coins from a mintage of 14,500 pieces. A few star radials are visible on this AU50 example, and Liberty's curls are well-defined for a lightly circulated New Orleans product. The eagle's wing tips, left leg, and olive leaves are incomplete. Hints of luster remain, issuing from deep yellow-gold surfaces. NGC ID# 263R, PCGS# 8620

1859-O Ten Dollar, XF Details Rarest New Orleans No Motto Issue





4007 1859-O — Scratches — NGC Details. XF. Variety 1. Only 2,300 ten dollar gold pieces were struck at the New Orleans Mint in 1859, making this the rarest No Motto eagle from the Louisiana series overall and the second rarest in high grade after the 1841-O. Probably only 60 to 70 pieces survive, and they are seldom offered above XF. This example maintains strong central detail and rich orange-gold color with lavender accents. Thin scratches in the right obverse field and below OF prevent a numeric grade. The surfaces are otherwise smooth.

From The Wabash Collection of Liberty Eagles.

1859-S Liberty Eagle, AU Details





4008 1859-S — Rim Damage — NGC Details. AU. The light rim filing that is evident around parts of the obverse and reverse rims intended to lessen the effects of rim bruises, although a few small ones are are still evident. Some luster remains on the medium yellow surfaces of this Liberty ten. Double eagles were the coins of choice on the West Coast in the late 1850s, and mintages of eagles remained at low levels. Just 7,000 eagles were minted at San Francisco in 1859, and few have survived.

1872-CC Ten Dollar, AU Details Very Scarce CC Issue





4009 1872-CC — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. Variety 1-B. The variety is easily confirmed by the weak top to the second vertical stripe. The 1872-CC is among the rarest of all CC tens. By comparison, the world-class Jacobson Collection has a VF35. Yes, this coin is cleaned, but only lightly so. Traces of mint luster can still be seen around the devices, and the strike definition is strong for this issue with no notable abrasions.

1873 Closed 3 Ten Dollar, VF Details Major Liberty Head Rarity





4010 1873 Closed 3 — Cleaned — NGC Details. VF. In a series replete with rarities, few issues are rarer than the 1873 eagle. Just 800 pieces were struck, plus 25 proofs. This example retains a measure of eye appeal and solid VF details despite some overall smoothing and cleaning. Numerous light abrasions are visible with magnification. Bright wheat-gold color covers each side. The recent Bowers' *Guide Book of Gold Eagle Coins* suggests just 40 to 60 pieces survive in all grades, figures that may be on the high side. PCGS estimates a survivorship of only 30 to 35 coins.

1884-CC Ten Dollar, Choice XF Better Carson City Emission





4011 1884-CC XF45 PCGS. Variety 1-A. The 1884-CC was the final Carson City ten dollar issue until 1890, due primarily to the coinage hiatus at the facility. Mintages of the denomination were never large, with the 1884-CC production limited to 9,925 pieces. Since the few gold coin collectors of the day were satisfied with purchases of proofs, the 1884-CC was not widely collected until decades later, and only a handful of pieces have survived in Mint State. All examples display prominent die lines on the portrait, from damage to the obverse die presumably endured during its long journey from Philadelphia to Carson City. The present Choice XF eagle is exceptionally nice for the grade. No marks are remotely consequential, and the well-defined straw-gold surfaces display ample indications of luster. NGC ID# 266B, PCGS# 8704

1891-CC/CC Liberty Eagle, MS63 Popular Cherrypickers' Variety, FS-501





4012 1891-CC/CC FS-501 MS63 NGC. Variety 4-C. The remnants of an undertype C are evident, protruding from the second C in the primary mintmark on this popular Cherrypickers' variety. This impressive Select specimen displays some minor contact marks and chatter in the fields, but the vivid orange-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster, with outstanding eye appeal. The design elements are sharply detailed and a die crack travels through stars 1 through 5. NGC ID# 266U, PCGS# 145728 Base PCGS# 8720

4013 1901 MS64+ PCGS. CAC. This good-for-type Philadelphia eagle issue claims a mintage of 1.7 million coins and an average certified grade of 62.5. Bright mint frost shines from rich orange-gold surfaces. Grazes are scant and the devices exhibit strong detail, especially at the centers. NGC ID# 7LHF, PCGS# 8747

1901-O Ten Dollar, MS63+ Interesting Reverse Die Break





4014 1901-O MS63+ PCGS. CAC. Variety 2. The 1901-O Liberty eagle is elusive in MS63 and better grades, and such coins are rare with CAC endorsement. This piece is sharp and frosty with original wheat-gold mint luster. A heavy die crack runs from the D in UNITED through the eagle's wingtip and the ST in STATES to the rim. Only trivial abrasions are evident. Population: 89 in 63 (6 in 63+), 25 finer. CAC: 21 in 63, 7 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 267R, PCGS# 8748

1906-D Ten Dollar, MS66 A Single Example is Graded Finer





4015 1906-D MS66 NGC. Amazing quality for this date, approaching the finest known. In fact, a single finer piece is graded by NGC, and no better ones are certified by PCGS. The design elements are full and crisp, with impressive honey-gold color and satiny luster. The fields are remarkably unabraded. During the first year of operation, the Denver Mint coined 981,000 eagles, and nearly all of the survivors grade lower than this specimen. Census: 1 in 66, 1 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 7JHG, PCGS# 8760

INDIAN EAGLE

1911-D Ten Dollar, Near-Mint Lowest Mintage Indian Issue





4016 1911-D AU58 PCGS. CAC. The 1911-D is the lowest mintage issue of the Indian ten dollar series. Only 30,100 pieces were struck, and most went into circulation. since gold coins circulated in the West prior to World War I. This near-Mint representative has a sharp mintmark and a nice strike. Minor contact on the fields corresponds to light circulation, though the cartwheel luster is essentially complete. CAC: 50 in 58, 15 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 28GU, PCGS# 8869

LIBERTY DOUBLE EAGLES

1850-O Twenty Dollar, VF30 Historically and Numismatically Significant





4017 1850-O VF30 NGC. Variety 1. The 1 is centered between dentils, and the O mintmark is away from the tailfeathers on this scarce variety. The important 1850-O double eagle enjoys massive popularity from collectors and historians. The surviving population is relatively high compared to other O-mint twenties, but there still never seems to be enough to satisfy demand. This VF30 example is well-defined despite extensive blending over the high points. Olive-gold surfaces exhibit a couple of criss-crossing pinscratches in the lower obverse field and the usual number of abrasions scattered over the rest of each side. NGC ID# 268G, PCGS# 8903

1852-O Twenty Dollar, XF40 Pleasing New Orleans Type Coin





4018 1852-O XF40 PCGS. Variety 1. An alloy spot in the field right of stars 3 and 4 identifies the present XF40 1852-O double eagle. Well-detailed devices exhibit a normal amount of high-point friction, and the yellow-gold surfaces show peppered abrasions, as expected. Given the relative accessibility of the 1852-O, this would make a pleasing New Orleans type coin. NGC ID# 268L, PCGS# 8907

1852-O Twenty Dollar, XF45 Olive-Gold With Reddish Accents





4019 1852-O XF45 PCGS. Variety 1. The only known die pair used in the production of 190,000 double eagles at the New Orleans Mint in 1852. Faint reddish accents around the stars and legends complement pleasing olive-gold color overall. Although lightly worn, this early No Motto twenty showcases complete star radials and bold definition on Liberty's portrait. NGC ID# 268L, PCGS# 8907

1852-O Double Eagle, AU Details Well-Detailed





4020 1852-O — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. Variety 1. The 1852-O is the second most available New Orleans twenty in the Type One series. While it can be found in lower grades and even in lower grades of AU, better-detailed coins are not as frequently encountered. This is such a coin, one that shows good design definition; however, the surfaces are lackluster with the appearance of a salvaged coin. Still, an affordable opportunity for a Type One from New Orleans.

1852-O Liberty Twenty, AU53 Popular Branch Mint Type Issue





4021 1852-O AU53 PCGS. Variety 1. The 1852-O Liberty double eagle claims a substantial mintage of 190,000 pieces, but the issue circulated widely and few high-grade examples were saved for numismatic purposes. As a result, the 1852-O becomes scarce in AU55 condition and Mint State examples are rare. This Choice AU specimen shows only light wear on the well-detailed design elements and the lemon-yellow surfaces exhibit the expected number of minor abrasions for a large gold coin that spent some time in circulation. Both sides retain much original mint luster, with flashes of prooflike reflectivity around the devices. NGC ID# 268L, PCGS# 8907

1852-O Twenty Dollar, AU55 Bright Surfaces, Rich Color





4022 1852-O AU55 NGC. Variety 1. One of the more common New Orleans minted double eagles, but still a desirable date in higher grades. Well struck with considerable remaining luster and deep reddish-gold toning over both sides. There are hints of wear on the eagle's wing tips, and on Liberty's hair curls, and numerous small abrasions and wispy hairlines are seen on both obverse and reverse. Several pinpricks are seen near the center of each side. NGC ID# 268L, PCGS# 8907

1853-O Double Eagle, XF Details Collectible New Orleans Issue





4023 1853-O — Cleaned — NGC Details. XF. Variety 1. This collectible New Orleans issue is popular among collectors seeking a single, affordable coin from this mint. The present example displays strong detail and grade-appropriate wear, with a few minor contact marks that serve as pedigree markers. Soft, muted luster is the product of cleaning.

1854 Large Date Twenty, AU Details An Affordable Alternative of this Scarce Issue





4024 1854 Large Date — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. The date punch for the Large Date twenty was originally intended for silver dollars. Probably fewer than 10% of 1854 twenties encountered show the Large Date logotype. This piece has been cleaned, and the surfaces are dull as a result. Strike details are strong throughout. An area just below the hair bun shows a couple of unfortunate marks.

1854-S Double Eagle, AU Details First Year of Production in San Francisco





4025 1854-S — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. This is a historic issue since it was produced in the first year of operation by the San Francisco mint. The 1854-S was generally well-produced, and this piece shows strong strike definition and few abrasions. Of course, the surfaces have been cleaned, leaving the coin dull overall; yet, there are tiny portions of mint luster that survive around the devices.

1856-S Liberty Twenty, AU58 Scarce Issue in Higher Grades





4026 1856-S AU58 PCGS. The 1856-S Liberty double eagle was produced in large numbers, but the coins circulated widely and few high-quality examples were saved. Accordingly, the 1856-S is seldom encountered in Mint State condition. This impressive Near-Mint example displays just a trace of high-point wear on the design elements and the orange-gold surfaces are appropriately abraded for the grade. Much original mint luster remains intact in sheltered areas. NGC ID# 2692, PCGS# 8919

1856-S Liberty Double Eagle, MS60 Ex: S.S. Republic





4027 1856-S MS60 NGC. Ex: S.S. Republic. Before the era of modern shipwreck finds, the 1856-S Liberty double eagle was seldom seen in high grade. That changed when more than 1,000 high-grade specimens were recovered from the wreck of the S.S. Central America. Other examples have surfaced in other salvage operations, including this coin from the S.S. Republic. The design elements of this impressive Mint State specimen are sharply detailed in most areas, with a touch of softness on the hair above the brow. The lustrous lemon-yellow surfaces show the expected number of minor contact marks for the grade. Census: 8 in 60, 36 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2692, PCGS# 8919

1856-S Double Eagle, MS61 Popular Shipwreck Date





4028 1856-S MS61 PCGS. A softly lustrous Mint State example of this date which is famous for being among the coins recovered from the S.S. Central America. In fact, most Uncirculated 1856-S doubles eagles known are from the Central America. This coin is not pedigreed to the shipwreck, although it may share that ancestry anyway. The peach-gold surfaces are well-struck and lightly abraded for the grade. On the obverse, scattered flecks of verdigris interrupt the eye appeal. NGC ID# 2692, PCGS# 8919

1857-O Twenty Dollar, XF Details Better New Orleans Issue





4029 1857-O — Cleaned — NGC Details. XF. Variety 1. The majority of the fields are micro-abraded from a vigorous cleaning, although to the naked eye this coin has a smooth appearance. Relatively few major abrasions are evident, and the deep orange-gold and olive patina is pleasing. Wear is consistent with the XF grade level. The 1857-O is among the scarcer New Orleans issues in this series, although it is much more plentiful than dates such as the 1854-O and 1861-O.

1858 Double Eagle, AU55 Red-Gold Color, Bold Strike





4030 1858 AU55 NGC. Ex: Rive d'Or Collection. Deep reddish-gold color and bold strike definition stand out as the two highlights of this 1858 No Motto double eagle. Mint luster glows around the stars and reverse legend, and high-point friction is minimal. Small marks have no bearing on the eye appeal of this above-average Choice AU survivor. NGC ID# 2697, PCGS# 8923

1858-O Twenty Dollar, AU Details Scarce Type One Issue





4031 1858-O — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. Variety 4. Surprisingly, there are four die varieties known for this scarcer issue. This variant is most easily distinguished by the die line below the eagle's left (facing) claw. The 1858-O is similar in rarity to the better-known 1857-O. Only 225 to 275 pieces are believed known in all grades, and at least two-thirds of the survivors grade XF or lower. This is a better-struck example and it lacks the usually seen heavy abrasions this issue is known for. The surfaces do show evidence of cleaning, as seen by the lack of any surviving luster and the uniform tan-gold appearance.

1861 Twenty Dollar, MS62 Glowing Mint Luster





4032 1861 MS62 PCGS. Until recent shipwreck recoveries brought other issues to the forefront, the 1861 was the most available Type One twenty in mint condition. This is a lovely example whose mint luster is bright throughout, and radiant on the reverse. A few abrasions on the obverse are all that limit the grade of this fully struck type coin. NGC ID# 269G, PCGS# 8932

1863-S Liberty Double Eagle, AU55 Popular Type One Issue





4033 1863-S AU55 NGC. The 1863-S Liberty double eagle claims a mintage of 966,570 pieces and the supply of AU examples has been augmented by the recovery of about 300 high-quality coins from the S.S. Brother Jonathan and the S.S. Republic in recent years. This lightly worn, brightly lustrous Choice AU specimen displays the usual number of grade-consistent abrasions on both sides. NGC ID# 269R, PCGS# 8940

1864 Twenty Dollar, XF Details Elusive Philadelphia Civil War Issue





4034 1864 — Cleaned — NGC Details. XF. Most Philadelphia gold coins from the Civil War years are scarce to rare, despite a limited number of recoveries from the S.S. Republic and the S.S. Brother Jonathan shipwrecks. This is a moderately circulated 1864 twenty, with grade-consistent wear and tiny marks, plus some light obverse hairlines from a past cleaning. Medium-yellow gold surfaces retain a few traces of mint luster.

1864-S Double Eagle, AU58 Original Brightly Frosted Surfaces





4035 1864-S AU58 PCGS. CAC. Small S. Shipwreck recoveries have dramatically increased the population of 1864-S double eagles available to the collecting community. High-grade examples, although much more accessible now than they once were, remain relatively scarce. Bright mint frost issues from moderately abraded but overtly original straw-gold surfaces. Fantastic eye appeal for a No Motto twenty. CAC: 20 in 58, 14 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 269T, PCGS# 8942

1866-S No Motto Double Eagle, AU Details Important Final Year of Type





4036 1866-S No Motto — Harshly Cleaned — PCGS Genuine. AU Details. Only 120,000 examples of the No Motto double eagle were struck in 1866, all at the San Francisco Mint. Survivors are highly sought-after in just about any state or preservation. This AU-level coin displays deep olive-gold patina and has grade-consistent wear. The surfaces are abraded and hairlined, as is noted by PCGS.

1866 Twenty Dollar, Lustrous AU58 First-Year With Motto Type Coin





4037 1866 Motto AU58 PCGS. The Mint added the motto IN GOD WE TRUST to large-size denominations in 1866. Double eagles struck this year at San Francisco are known both with and without the motto, but Philadelphia coins were only struck with the motto. Original rose-gold and greenish hues adorn each side, complementing substantial luster in the fields. Scattered abrasions accompany the grade. NGC ID# 269X, PCGS# 8949

1872-CC Double Eagle, XF Details 26,900 Coins Struck





4038 1872-CC — Cleaned — NGC Details. XF. Variety 1-A. The 1 is away from the bust, and the CC mintmark is narrowly spaced on this third-year Carson City double eagle. Only 26,900 1872-CC twenties were struck and probably 400 to 500 examples survive, all of which are subject to ever-strong collector demand. This lightly circulated representative has been cleaned and is unnaturally bright, but it shows good detail. Hints of original luster shine around the devices.

1873-CC Twenty Dollar, XF Details Variety 1-A





4039 1873-CC — Cleaned — NGC Details. XF. Variety 1-A. Just three die varieties are identified for this issue of modest mintage. Two obverse dies and two reverse dies were combined to strike 22,410 double eagles at Carson City in 1873. Traces of luster are still evident on this piece that exhibits light cleaning lines on its wheat-gold surfaces.

1875-CC Double Eagle, Unc Details Frosty Mint Luster





4040 1875-CC — Reverse Scratched — NGC Details. Unc. Variety 2-B. The date is positioned right under the bust (rather than centered), and the right edge of the second C in the mintmark aligns with the left edge of the T. The 1875-CC serves as one of the most collectible Carson City twenties, boasting a mintage of 111,151 coins. This Mint State example is readily appealing with frosty luster and natural red and green-gold color. Scattered abrasions fail to distract or minimize the eye appeal. The only flaw, one that prevents a numeric grade, is a series of scratches around the reverse motto created in an attempt to remove a dark inclusion.

1876-CC Double Eagle, AU55 Reflective Fields





4041 1876-CC AU55 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1-A. The fields of this Choice AU Carson City double eagle are reflective in the protected areas, while scattered abrasions subdue the exposed regions. The devices are sharp and show little if any wear, although they also exhibit abrasions. The straw-gold color is original. The 1876-CC is a popular date, available in AU condition. Nonetheless, CAC-approved examples are scarce in this grade. NGC ID# 26AW, PCGS# 8977

1877 Twenty Dollar, MS62+ Seldom Offered in Higher Grades





4042 1877 MS62+ PCGS. CAC. The Plus designation and CAC green label will make this 1877 double eagle far more sought-after than the typical MS62 coin. Lustrous orange-gold surfaces produce strong eye appeal for the grade, including sharp design elements and minimal abrasions in the fields. Liberty's cheek has a few marks that prevent a finer grade from PCGS. PCGS lists 19 finer grading events. CAC: 22 in 62, 2 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 2547, PCGS# 8982

1877-CC Double Eagle, AU Details





4043 1877-CC — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. Variety 1-A. Light clash marks are visible at Liberty's ear, as usual for this variety. The mintmark is centered between the Y and D in the denomination, with the second C slightly higher than the first. Although cleaned, this AU-level Carson City double eagle displays pleasing yellow-gold coloration and is fairly smooth, with no major abrasions of note.

1884-CC Double Eagle, Choice XF Entry Point for Aspiring CC Gold Enthusiasts





4044 1884-CC XF45 PCGS. Variety 1. Normal incompleteness occurs on Liberty's curls and the eagle's head. Attractive red-gold accents appear within the hidden areas, as do traces of original mint luster. Both sides of this Carson City twenty dollar gold piece are smooth without any deep abrasions. A perfect entry point for aspiring CC gold enthusiasts. NGC ID# 26BK, PCGS# 9001

1884-CC Twenty Dollar, AU55 Rich Honey-Gold Color





4045 1884-CC AU55 NGC. Variety 1-A. Carson City double eagle production increased to 81,139 coins in 1884. Examples in the various levels of About Uncirculated condition often serve to represent the type. This partly lustrous representative enjoys rich honey-gold color. The curls exhibit a bit of softness and minor rub, but the rest of the devices are strongly defined. NGC ID# 26BK, PCGS# 9001

1884-CC Double Eagle, MS60 Pleasing Mint State Type Coin





4046 1884-CC MS60 NGC. Variety 1-A. The mintage of 81,139 coins for the 1884-CC double eagle is among the higher production totals for this Mint and series. Many of these coins were exported in the foreign trade and have returned to domestic markets in recent decades, producing a supply of coins for collectors. As a result, the 1884-CC is popular type coin issue for collectors seeking a single double eagle from this mint. The present coin is Uncirculated, and only light surface marks limit the numeric grade. Each side is satiny with deep yellow-gold color. NGC ID# 26BK, PCGS# 9001

1884-CC Twenty Dollar, MS61 Frosty Peach-Gold Surfaces





4047 1884-CC MS61 PCGS. Variety 1-A. All 1884-CC double eagles are manufactured from the same die pair, showing criss-crossing die lines on Liberty's neck under the curls. Bright mint luster emanates from frosty peach-gold surfaces. Field chatter is generally minor. The only significant abrasion is a tick right of Liberty's nose. Highend for the issue and challenging to upgrade at this level. NGC ID# 26BK, PCGS# 9001

1887-S Double Eagle, MS62 Lustrous and Appealing





4048 1887-S MS62 NGC. A sharp, lustrous Mint State example of this Type Three San Francisco issue, showing orange-gold borders that cede to lighter yellow-gold interiors. Scattered abrasions determine the grade, mostly on Liberty's cheek. The 1887-S double eagle's availability plummets just one grade point finer than this coin, where the date is decidedly scarce. NGC ID# 26BS, PCGS# 9007

1887-S Double Eagle, MS62 Lustrous and Strongly Struck





4049 1887-S MS62 PCGS. Tall S. As far as collectibility is concerned, MS62 is the most highest readily available grade level for the 1887-S twenty. Select Uncirculated coins are much scarcer, though they remain within reach for a select group of collectors. Small, peppered marks define the grade for this lustrous yellow-gold double eagle. The devices are strongly struck throughout. NGC ID# 26BS, PCGS# 9007

4050 1888-S Saddle Ridge Hoard AU55 PCGS. Ex: Saddle Ridge Hoard. This is one of 62 1888-S double eagle discovered as part of the now-famous California cache. Subdued frost remains around the well-struck devices. Straw-gold surfaces exhibit small reeding marks in the obverse fields, while the reverse is relatively clean. PCGS# 109009 Base PCGS# 9009

1889 Double Eagle, MS62 Exceptionally Smooth Surfaces





4051 1889 MS62 PCGS. For the grade, this Mint State 1889 double eagle is exceptionally clean, showing smooth, luminous peach and orange-gold cartwheel luster with remarkably few discernible abrasions. A few stray hairlines appear under a loupe and may influence the PCGS opinion. This is a sharp coin, and one of the most attractive pieces seen in MS62. Finer coins are scarce. NGC ID# 2695, PCGS# 9010

1889-CC Double Eagle, XF45 Lightly Abraded





4052 1889-CC XF45 NGC. Variety 1-A. The presses at the Carson City Mint were inactive during the first Grover Cleveland administration. Shortly after Benjamin Harrison was inaugurated in March 1889, coinage resumed. The 1889-CC twenty had a mintage of only 30,945 pieces, about 4% of the 1889-S production. A few thousand coins purchased imports and ended up in foreign bank holdings. Those coins gradually returned to the United States after World War II. The present apricot-gold example shows moderate wear on Liberty's hair and the eagle's wings. Marks are less consequential than expected, as only a narrow line on the nose merits mention. NGC ID# 26BV, PCGS# 9011

1889-CC Twenty, AU55 Uncommonly Clean Surfaces





4053 1889-CC AU55 NGC. Variety 1-A. The 1889-CC is one of the more available CC-mint twenties. This particular coin is different than the usually seen 1889-CC since its surfaces are notably free from the heavy bagmarks that usually plague this issue. Instead, each side is bright with almost semiprooflike fields, a strong strike throughout, and patches of luster surrounding the devices. Sharply detailed throughout. NGC ID# 26BV, PCGS# 9011

1889-S Double Eagle, MS64 Among the Finest at CAC





4054 1889-S MS64 PCGS. CAC. This date was made plentiful in Uncirculated condition by the Saddle Ridge Hoard, although the increased availability in high grade has only heightened collector interest in this issue as a type coin. The present near-Gem example is among the finest 1889-S twenties with CAC endorsement. Sharp devices and vibrant yellow-gold luster adorn largely untouched surfaces, while a faint glimmer of reflectivity is evident in the fields. Population: 92 in 64 (19 in 64+), 5 finer. CAC: 16 in 64, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26BW, PCGS# 9012

1889-S Double Eagle, MS62+ Prooflike Sole Prooflike Example, CAC Endorsed





4055 1889-S MS62+ Prooflike PCGS. CAC. More than 300 Saddle Ridge Hoard 1889-S twenties were recovered, but none of them with designated Prooflike surfaces. This Plus-graded and CAC-endorsed example remains the sole prooflike 1889-S at PCGS, with a razor-sharp strike and vivid rich-gold color on both sides. Light field abrasions exist — no surprise there — to determine the MS62+ grade, yet the eye appeal is outstanding the flash easily outdistances any non-prooflike rivals. Population: 1 in 62 (1 in 62+) Prooflike, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# BEHE, PCGS# 99012 Base PCGS# 79012

1890-CC Twenty, AU53 Pronounced Reddish-Gold Color





4056 1890-CC AU53 NGC. Variety 1-A. This is a later die state that shows die lapping on the eagle's tail feathers and only slight evidence of die doubling on the reverse. The surfaces display even reddish-gold color and reddish patina throughout. Each side is peppered with numerous, small abrasions. NGC ID# 26BY, PCGS# 9014

1890-CC Twenty Dollar, AU58 Seemingly Complete Mint Luster





4057 1890-CC AU58 PCGS. Variety 2-B. The Fairmount Collection. This is the scarcer variety with the second C in the mintmark over the left side of the D in DOLLAR, and is from the European-sourced Fairmount Collection. Numerous bagmarks are seen over each side, but the luster is complete; we see nothing but abrasions that keep this coin from mint condition. Original green-gold color with a hint of reddish patina. NGC ID# 26BY, PCGS# 9014

1892-S Liberty Double Eagle, MS63 Popular Branch Mint Type issue





4058 1892-S MS63 PCGS. CAC. Strongly impressed with satiny butter-yellow luster that shows glimpses of apricot and a few small alloy spots on the reverse. Only a few wispy abrasions in the portrait area preclude a finer designation. While Select examples of this San Francisco twenty are available for a price, anything finer is scarce. NGC ID# 26C7, PCGS# 9021

1892-S Twenty Dollar, MS64+ Smooth Fields





4059 1892-S MS64+ PCGS. Peach-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint frost from each side. The fields are smooth and nearly unabraded. Ticks near Liberty's nose and eye probably prevent a full MS65 assessment, but they do not affect the fantastic visual appeal. The 1892-S double eagle is scarce in Choice Uncirculated condition. Twenty four submissions are graded finer at PCGS (1/20). NGC ID# 26C7, PCGS# 9021

1893-S Liberty Twenty, MS64 Among the Finest at NGC





4060 1893-S MS64 NGC. The 1893-S Liberty double eagle claims a large mintage of 996,175 pieces, but the issue is still scarce at the MS64 grade level, and finer coins are rare. This impressive Choice specimen exhibits well-detailed design elements and well-preserved, satiny peach-gold surfaces, with outstanding eye appeal. Census: 24 in 64, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26CA, PCGS# 9024

1894-S Double Eagle, MS62 Prooflike Elusive With Reflective Fields





- 4061 1894-S MS62 Prooflike NGC. The 1894-S double eagle is normally plentiful in Mint State, although Prooflike coins are elusive. NGC has only graded 40 pieces with a Prooflike designation, just a handful of which are finer than the present. A lone Deep Prooflike piece is listed in a lower grade (1/20). This coin displays a sharp strike and reflective prairie-gold fields. A scattering of faint hairlines limit the grade in the absence of noteworthy abrasions. Census: 14 in 62 Prooflike, 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26CC, PCGS# 79026
- 4062 1897 MS64 PCGS. The vivid orange-gold surfaces of this spectacular Choice Mint State double eagle are well-preserved and lustrous throughout. The design elements are sharply detailed and eye appeal is terrific. PCGS has graded only nine numerically finer examples (12/19). NGC ID# 26CH, PCGS# 9031

1897 Liberty Twenty, MS64+ Conditionally Rare Any Finer





4063 1897 MS64+ PCGS. A robust mintage of more than 1.3 million Liberty double eagles was accomplished at the Philadelphia Mint in 1897 and the issue can be found in grades up to the MS64 level with little difficulty, but finer coins are decidedly rare. This Plusgraded Choice example displays sharply detailed design elements and lightly marked peach-gold surfaces, with vibrant mint luster throughout. PCGS has graded nine numerically finer examples (12/19). NGC ID# 26CH, PCGS# 9031

1898-S Liberty Double Eagle, MS65 Extremely Rare Any Finer





4064 1898-S MS65 NGC. The 1898-S Liberty double eagle claims a large mintage of more than 2.5 million pieces, but the issue is somewhat scarce in MS65 condition and finer coins are virtually unobtainable. This delightful Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout and the impeccably preserved peach-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster, with terrific eye appeal. NGC has graded three numerically finer examples (12/19). NGC ID# 26CL, PCGS# 9034

1899 Double Eagle, MS62 Prooflike Elusive With Prooflike Fields





4065 1899 MS62 Prooflike PCGS. Since PCGS recently began assigning Prooflike designations to double eagles, they have so designated only six 1899 coins, including four in MS62 and none finer. By comparison, NGC has seen 23 Prooflike pieces and three Deep Prooflike coins, the finest of which grade MS63 (1/20). This PCGS coin displays a sharp strike and bright rose-gold coloration. The depth of mirroring in the fields produced a hint of cameo contrast, while scattered light abrasions determine the numeric grade. PCGS# 779047 Base PCGS# 9035

1903 Double Eagle, MS65+ Ideal for High-End Type Purposes





4066 1903 MS65+ PCGS. CAC. The 1903 double eagle is one of the most-available dates of the Liberty Head series, a result of large hoards that surfaced over the past few decades, even though the mintage was a moderate 287,200 pieces. This coin seems too well-preserved for a hoard coin, although it might be a fortunate survivor from an unopened bag that returned from foreign shores.

Radiant cartwheel luster rolls across this high-end, CAC-endorsed Gem. Sharply struck design features and nicely preserved surfaces further heighten the eye appeal. There are no annoying copper alloy spots (although this date is prone to them). Historically, the 1903 a great choice for Liberty Head type and it will be challenging to improve on this Plus-graded example. Population: 25 in 65+, 6 finer. CAC: 34 in 65, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26CW, PCGS# 9043

1904 Double Eagle, MS65+ Clean and Attractive Coronet Type Coin





4067 1904 MS65+ PCGS. CAC. Both sides show full strike definition and radiant yellow-gold color with swirling mint frost. A couple of trivial, superficial grazes in the upper-left obverse field are likely all that stand in the way of an even higher grade. This phenomenally clean and attractive Coronet double eagle would serve as an ideal type coin. NGC ID# 26CY, PCGS# 9045

1904 Liberty Twenty, MS66+ High-End Type Coin





4068 1904 MS66+ NGC. Modest reflectivity in the fields may have earned this piece its merits for the Plus designation, although the preservation alone is up to the task. Strike sharpness and rich orange-gold color adorn each side, producing outstanding visual appeal. The 1904 Liberty Head twenty is the famous common date of the series, although even this issue becomes conditionally challenging in MS66 and is rare finer. NGC has seen only one Superb Gem (1/20). NGC ID# 26CY, PCGS# 9045

1904-S Double Eagle, MS63 Prooflike Deeply Reflective and Sharp





4069 1904-S MS63 Prooflike PCGS. One of just four 1904-S double eagles that PCGS has graded Prooflike, compared to more than 120 such pieces at NGC, which has been awarded a Prooflike designation far longer than PCGS. This coin is sharp and deeply reflective. Each side displays deep yellow-gold color and has minor abrasions with good eye appeal. Population: 2 in 63 Prooflike, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26CZ, PCGS# 79046

1905 Liberty Twenty, Vibrant MS63 20th Century Key Issue





4070 1905 MS63 PCGS. A low mintage of 58,919 pieces contributes mightily to the scarcity of Philadelphia 1905 double eagles, a residual effect of the huge 1904 mintage that exceeded 6 million P-mint twenties. A sought-after Type Three date, the 1905 becomes scarce at the Select Uncirculated level and exceptionally rare any finer. This is a sharply struck and brightly lustrous medium-gold coin, with lemon-yellow and pale-peach accents. Light obverse chatter is the sole grade-limiting factor on this attractive MS63 example. Population: 71 in 63 (2 in 63+), 13 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26D2, PCGS# 9047

HIGH RELIEF DOUBLE EAGLES

1907 High Relief Double Eagle, AU Details Wire Rim, Collectible Example





4071 1907 High Relief, Wire Rim — Rim Bumps — ANACS. AU Details, Net XF40. Possibly carried as a pocket piece, perhaps for good luck or simply to show off, this MCMVII High Relief double exhibits a brush of high-point friction and several grade-defining rim bumps. Surfaces abrasions are minor. Each side remains strongly detailed and exhibits rather attractive reddish-gold color. This highly sought-after issue is seldom found in this collectible condition. An affordable opportunity to obtain one of the most famous coins in United States numismatics. Housed in a small sized holder.

MCMVII Double Eagle, XF Details Jewelry Mounted High Relief





4072 1907 High Relief, Wire Rim — Jewelry Mounted — Uncertified. XF Details. Sold As Is. A 1907 High Relief, Wire Rim double eagle mounted in a double rope bezel with a pin back. Four white gemstones are mounted on the bezel. Some light wear shows on the devices and the yellow and rose-gold surfaces are lightly abraded, with numerous minor hairlines that indicate a light polishing in the past. In our opinion, this coin has the sharpness of an XF specimen that has been polished. From the iconic design by Augustus Saint-Gaudens and a limited mintage of 12,367 pieces.

1907 High Relief Twenty Dollar, AU Details Flat Rim Variety





4073 1907 High Relief, Flat Rim — Filed Rims — PCGS Genuine. AU Details. The PCGS number ending in .82 suggests Filed Rims as the reason, or perhaps one of the reasons, that PCGS deemed this coin not gradable. The surfaces have also been cleaned, yielding a brightness not usually seen on High Reliefs. Still, the devices are sharply detailed. Only small and individually insignificant contact marks are seen on each side.

1907 High Relief Double Eagle Uncirculated Details, Flat Rim





4074 1907 High Relief, Flat Rim — Cleaned — NGC Details. Unc. In a recent issue of Coin World, Steve Roach brought up the subject of cleaned coins and how they did (or did not) fit into a collection. The bottom line question was: For 50 to 60% of the price of a problem-free coin, would you add a cleaned coin to a date-mintmark collection? Someone will answer that intriguing question with this particular coin. The surfaces are a couple of shades brighter than what one normally expects from a High Relief, but not overly so. Closer examination reveals a couple of contact marks on each side. It will be interesting to see how this piece is valued by collectors.

SAINT-GAUDENS DOUBLE EAGLES

1908-D Saint-Gaudens Twenty, MS65+ Rarely Seen Finer





4075 1908-D No Motto MS65+ PCGS. From an adequate mintage of 663,750 pieces, the 1908-D No Motto Saint-Gaudens double eagle can be located in MS65 condition with some patience, but finer coins are surprisingly rare. This Plus-graded Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements in most areas, with just a trace of softness on the eagle's belly. The well-preserved orange-gold surfaces are lustrous and appealing. PCGS has graded 15 numerically finer examples (12/19). NGC ID# 26F7, PCGS# 9143

1908 Motto Twenty Dollar, MS64 Inaugural Year of Type





4076 1908 Motto MS64 PCGS. Long Rays Obverse. Certification totals for this inaugural With Motto double eagle issue fall precipitously above the MS64 grade level. Orange-gold color dominates lustrous surfaces that show nothing more than tiny ticks peppered across each side. Well-struck. NGC ID# BNAK, PCGS# 9147

1908 Saint-Gaudens Twenty, MS64 CAC Endorsed With Motto Example





4077 1908 Motto MS64 PCGS. CAC. The design of the double eagle was modified to include the motto IN GOD WE TRUST part way through the year in 1908 and the Philadelphia Mint produced 156,258 business-strike examples of the new design. This impressive Choice specimen displays well-detailed design elements and well-preserved orange-gold surfaces that radiate vibrant mint luster throughout. NGC ID# BNAK, PCGS# 9147

4078 1909-D AU55 PCGS. CAC. This Choice AU double eagle from a low mintage of 52,500 coins features partly reflective surfaces and sun-gold color around the rims that deepens toward the centers. Slightly baggy with a bit of high-point rub. Scarcely seen with CAC approval. CAC: 9 in 55, 37 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26FD, PCGS# 9152

1909-D Double Eagle, AU58 Low-Mintage Denver Product





4079 1909-D AU58 NGC. CAC. This is an elusive early branch mint issue with a production that ranks among the lowest in the series: just 52,500 coins. Glowing golden-orange surfaces retain considerable satin mint luster. Small marks and a trace of friction on each side are minimal for the borderline-Uncirculated grade. CAC: 9 in 58, 28 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 26FD, PCGS# 9152

4080 1909-D MS60 PCGS. This low-mintage Denver Mint semikey proves challenging in high grades, more so than any other issue for the year. Yellow-gold surfaces are softly lustrous with generally minor abrasions, save for a scrape within the left obverse rays. NGC ID# 26FD, PCGS# 9152

4081 1910-S MS64 PCGS. Radiant cartwheel luster reveals bright pinkish-gold hues on this near-Gem. The is well-struck and minimally marked with good eye appeal. Finer 1910-S double eagles are elusive. NGC ID# 26FH, PCGS# 9156

4082 1911-D MS65+ PCGS. CAC. The highly collectible 1911-D is a popular branch mint issue from the early part of the Saint-Gaudens series. This yellow-gold Gem is high-end for the grade with vibrant satin mint luster. Clean fields and strongly detailed devices. NGC ID# 26FK, PCGS# 9158

4083 1911-D MS65+ PCGS. CAC. Although the 1911-D Saint-Gaudens double eagle is plentiful in MS65, only a small fraction of the survivorship in this grade is Plus-designated, and CAC-approved examples are also moderately elusive. This piece is well-struck and lustrous, yielding orange-gold surfaces and few discernible abrasions. An appealing example for the grade. NGC ID# 26FK, PCGS# 9158

1914-S Twenty Dollar, MS66 An Uncommonly High Grade





4084 1914-S MS66 PCGS. Nearly 1.5 million Saint-Gaudens double eagles were struck at the San Francisco Mint in 1914, making the issue relatively available in most grades. However, its availability drops sharply at the MS66 level, and only one coin is finer (1/20). This sharply detailed Gem exhibits well-preserved light orange-gold surfaces, with vibrant mint luster and outstanding eye appeal. NGC ID# 82KA, PCGS# 9166

1915-S Twenty Dollar, MS66+ A Rarity at This Grade





4085 1915-S MS66+ NGC. While the 1915-S is one of the most available issues of the Saint-Gaudens series, it is scarcely known any finer than the MS66+ grade level. This is a nearly unmarked and sharply struck, yellow-gold example with exceptionally highend surfaces. Vibrant mint luster radiates across both sides. Census: 7 in 66+, 2 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 26FW, PCGS# 9168

1916-S Double Eagle, MS65+ Final World War Issue





4086 1916-S MS65+ PCGS. The 1916-S was the final issue struck during World War I. At the time, large denomination gold coins were primarily used to pay for foreign trade, which was suppressed by German U-boat activity. Fortunately for today's collectors, the 1916-S had a mintage of close to 800,000 pieces, and many examples were set aside by banks as bullion reserves. Such pieces are typically bagmarked, but the present coin is an exceptional Gem with minimal marks and dynamic cartwheel sheen. The sungold surfaces are sharply struck. NGC ID# 34NJ, PCGS# 9169

1920 Double Eagle, MS64 Low-Mintage Post World War I Issue





4087 1920 MS64 PCGS. Mint delivery records show that the entire production of 1920 double eagles were delivered from the Chief Coiner to the Mint Superintendent between the dates of April 30 and June 4. Trivial marks appear on the lustrous yellow-gold surfaces of this Choice Mint State double eagle. NGC ID# 26FY, PCGS# 9170

1922 Saint-Gaudens Twenty, MS65 Prohibitively Rare Finer for Most Collectors





4088 1922 MS65 PCGS. This date is plentiful through MS65, but the rarity of finer pieces (just nine reported at PCGS and another nine at NGC) makes Gems highly collectible. This piece displays frosty orange-gold luster and a bold strike. A few trivial signs of contact do not detract. A highly appealing 1922 double eagle. NGC ID# 26G3, PCGS# 9173

1922 Twenty Dollar, MS65+ Few Known With a Plus Grade





4089 1922 MS65+ NGC. While the 1922 double eagle is plentiful in MS65, NGC has only Plus graded a dozen coins at this level, with nine reported finer (1/20). This piece displays uniform strike sharpness and frosted orange-gold mint luster. A few trivial marks do not detract, and the cartwheel effect is pleasing. NGC ID# 26G3, PCGS# 9173

1923-D Twenty Dollar, MS66 Attractive Denver Type Coin





4090 1923-D MS66 NGC. Deep orange-gold color warms the vibrant, frosty luster of this Premium Gem 1923-D double eagle, earning it high potential as a type coin. Under a loupe, the only mentionable abrasion is a small mark on Liberty's forehead, and the design elements are well-defined. This date is frequently seen with good eye appeal, representing excellent value for the type collector. NGC ID# 26G6, PCGS# 9176

1923-D Double Eagle, MS66 Clean, Lustrous Branch Mint Type Coin





4091 1923-D MS66 PCGS. The 1923-D serves as the only widely collectible branch mint issue of the decade. Honey-gold surfaces feature remarkably unabraded fields for a large twenty dollar gold piece. Liberty's torch hand and the eagle's feathers and talons exhibit strong detail, while the Capitol dome is trivially soft. This Denver issue becomes scarce any finer. NGC ID# 26G6, PCGS# 9176

4092 1924 MS65+ PCGS. CAC. The most plentiful issue in the Saint-Gaudens double eagle series serves as a perfect high-grade type coin. This radiant Gem with cartwheel mint luster showcases honey-gold color and pinpoint detail with a minimal number of tiny ticks for the grade. Outstanding eye appeal. NGC ID# 26G7, PCGS# 9177

1924 Saint-Gaudens Twenty, MS67 High-End Type Coin





4093 1924 MS67 NGC. The 1924, the famous common date of the Saint-Gaudens series, commands a premium in MS67 where it finally becomes conditionally elusive. NGC lists just three coins numerically finer than the present (1/20). Bright yellow-gold luster graces well-struck devices, while the fields are devoid of bothersome abrasions. A couple of coppery alloy spots on the sun at the lower reverse border, as well as a tiny nick on the obverse rim at 9 o'clock, serve as pedigree markers. NGC ID# 26G7, PCGS# 9177

1925 Saint-Gaudens Twenty, MS66 Doubled Die Reverse, FS-801





4094 1925 Doubled Die Reverse, FS-801, MS66 NGC. The eagle's wing, leg, and tail plumage demonstrate strong die doubling. Die doubling of similar strength in a 20th century copper, nickel, or silver series would undoubtedly secure a *Guide Book* listing, but double eagles are currently collected principally by type or issue. This is a splendid Premium Gem with lustrous, smooth, and sharply struck caramel-gold surfaces.

Dallas ANA Signature (Heritage, 10/2012), lot 6425. NGC ID# 26GA, PCGS# 145743 Base PCGS# 9180

1926 Double Eagle, MS66 Swirling Mint Luster





4095 1926 MS66 PCGS. One in a string of collectible Philadelphia Mint double eagle issues, the 1926 can be obtained without too much trouble in this high grade, although only a handful of coins are graded finer. That includes just five submissions at PCGS plus nine more at NGC (1/20). The obverse is peach-gold, while the reverse is a deeper shade of orange. Both sides feature swirling luster and a pinpoint-sharp strike without any noteworthy distractions. NGC ID# 26GD, PCGS# 9183

1926-S Double Eagle, MS64+ Attractive Luster, Scarce Finer





4096 1926-S MS64+ PCGS. A popular date, scarce in Mint State compared to the more common dates from the Philadelphia and Denver mints. The 1926-S is collectible in MS64 but rarely seen finer. This Plus-graded coin displays impressively bold definition and bright, satiny mint luster. Yellow-gold margins transition to warmer peach-orange interiors. NGC ID# 26GF, PCGS# 9185

4097 1927 MS65 NGC. CAC. Peach-gold centers deepen to honeygold around the outer areas of this frosty Gem. The motifs show bold detail with only the slightest bit of softness on the Capitol and Liberty's knee. Smooth fields enhance the visual quality of this gleaming Saint-Gaudens gold piece. NGC ID# 26GG, PCGS# 9186

1927 Double Eagle, MS66 Early Green Label Holder, CAC





4098 1927 MS66 PCGS. CAC. This lustrous type coin displays vibrant orange-gold luster and bold devices. The fields are virtually flawless, and only a few trivial ticks on the high points of Liberty's figure prevent a finer grade. Housed in an old, two-piece green label holder with the plastic color, CAC endorsed. Only 28 higher-grade coins are listed at PCGS (1/20). NGC ID# 26GG, PCGS# 9186

1928 Double Eagle, MS66 Profound Golden-Orange Color





4099 1928 MS66 PCGS. CAC. This mass-produced Philadelphia double eagle is available through Premium Gem condition before becoming scarce at the next highest grade level. Profound orange-gold color and thick mint frost define this eye-appealing Saint-Gaudens twenty. The fields are clean. A couple of small coppery alloy spots appear on each side. NGC ID# 34VK, PCGS# 9189

COMMEMORATIVE SILVER

- 4100 1893 Isabella Quarter MS66 PCGS. This impressive Premium Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements and well-preserved, lustrous surfaces, under attractive shades of magenta and goldentan toning. PCGS has graded 65 numerically finer examples (1/20). NGC ID# BYJ9, PCGS# 9220
- 4101 1900 Lafayette Dollar MS63 PCGS. DuVall 2-C. An attractive Select representative of this popular silver commemorative issue, with sharply detailed design elements that show the final S in STATES on the obverse repunched east. The lustrous surfaces are lightly marked and eye appeal is quite strong. NGC ID# BYKW, PCGS# 9222

1900 Lafayette Dollar, MS65 Attractive Natural Toning





4102 1900 Lafayette Dollar MS65 NGC. DuVall 1-B. Lovely aquamarine and tan toning alternates across the obverse. Goldenbrown and cream-gray dominate the reverse, although the periphery is apple-green. This satiny Gem has a nearly immaculate reverse, and the obverse field is also clean. Faint marks on the portraits are inconspicuous to the unaided eye.

Ex: FÜN Signature (Heritage, 1/2007), lot 7690. NGC ID# BYKW, PCGS# 9222

1936 Albany Half Dollar, MS68 None Graded Numerically Finer





4103 1936 Albany MS68 NGC. A total of 17,671 Albany commemorative half dollars were distributed, celebrating the 250th anniversary of the capital of New York's charter. Only 15 grading events are listed in MS68 at NGC and PCGS combined, with none numerically higher. It is entirely likely that those figures include a few resubmissions or crossovers. This example is almost fully toned in crimson, golden-orange, and violet patina with occasional green accents. The underlying surfaces are pristine. Census: 12 in 68 (2 in 68 ★, 1 in 68+ ★), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 23WZ, PCGS# 9227

1935-S Boone Half Dollar, MS67+ Nearly Flawless





4104 1935-S Boone MS67+ NGC. The 1935-S Boone half dollar (5,005 pieces distributed) is scarce but obtainable at the Superb Gem level, in stark contrast to higher-graded coins, which are rare and tightly held. The surfaces are free of obvious abrasions, but they do show blushes of golden-orange and olive-green toning and a band of crimson at the upper and lower reverse amid otherwise dusky silver-gray patina. Census: 41 in 67 (4 in 67+, 4 in 67 ★), 4 finer (1/20). NGC ID# BYFW, PCGS# 9260

1936-D Columbia Half Dollar, MS68 Among the Finest Pieces Certified





4105 1936-D Columbia MS68 NGC. Among the finest-certified examples of this issue, conditionally scarce in this grade. Satiny, virtually flawless luster displays soft pastel toning and a pleasing cartwheel effect. Strike sharpness is outstanding. The 1936-D Columbia, South Carolina, Sesquicentennial half dollar is seldom offered in this grade. Census: 50 in 68 (2 in 68+, 27 in 68★), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# BYGD, PCGS# 9292

1938 New Rochelle Half, MS68 Prooflike Fields, Spectacular Quality





4106 1938 New Rochelle MS68 NGC. In addition to the design's characteristic radiance, near-flawless surfaces exhibit lovely pastel iridescence, including flashes of golden-rose patina at the margins. One of two New York types that were designed by Gertrude K. Lathrop, the other being the Albany commemorative. The New Rochelle half is rarely offered this fine and is unknown numerically finer. Census: 21 in 68 (1 in 68+, 4 in 68★, 1 in 68+★), 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# BYDX, PCGS# 9335

1937 Roanoke Half Dollar, MS68 Frosty and Lightly Toned





4107 1937 Roanoke MS68 PCGS. CAC. Areas of brilliance transition to shades of green, blue, violet, and gold mainly around the peripheries. The effect is highly appealing and contributes to CAC's decision to endorse this Superb Gem. Frosty, fully struck surfaces are essentially unabraded. Population: 30 in 68 (1 in 68+), 0 finer. CAC: 15 in 68, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# BYHW, PCGS# 9367

1935-D Texas Half Dollar, MS68 Unimprovable Quality





4108 1935-D Texas MS68 NGC. Daubs of russet and crimson color around the borders complement otherwise brilliant satin surfaces. The masterful design by Pompeo Coppini is rendered in complete detail, and there are no singular abrasions on either side. An unimprovable example of the 1935-D Texas half dollar. Census: 17 in 68 (3 in 68★), 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# BYJC, PCGS# 9383

1925 Vancouver Half Dollar, MS66+ Attractively Toned





4109 1925 Vancouver MS66+ PCGS. This Fort Vancouver Centennial half dollar earns high marks for eye appeal with its multicolor toning and shimmering satin luster. The coin is well-struck and devoid of abrasions, achieving the almost staggering grade of MS66+ from PCGS. This issue is scarce in finer condition, and the present coin rivals finer pieces on grounds of eye appeal. NGC ID# BYIP, PCGS# 9399

1950-S Booker T. Washington Half Dollar Tied for Finest at PCGS and CAC, MS67+





4110 1950-S Booker T. Washington MS67+ PCGS. CAC. The Plus designation and CAC approval sticker confirm this is one of the finest 1950-S Booker T. Washington half dollars in a PCGS holder. Each side is brilliant with bands of iridescent toning at the lower obverse and upper reverse. There are a few minuscule flecks on the portrait, but the fields remain unabraded. Population: 83 in 67 (9 in 67+), 0 finer. CAC: 60 in 67, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# BYK8, PCGS# 9422

1951-D Booker T. Washington Half, MS68 Single-Finest Certified Example





4111 1951-D Booker T. Washington MS68 NGC. The 1951-D Booker T. Washington commemorative half dollar claims a small distribution of 7,004 examples and this coin is the single-finest certified specimen at either of the leading grading services (12/19). This coin exhibits sharply detailed design elements throughout and the impeccably preserved surfaces are highlighted by attractive shades of greenish-gold and lavender toning. Vibrant mint luster adds to the terrific eye appeal. NGC ID# BYKA, PCGS# 9425

COMMEMORATIVE GOLD

1915-S Panama-Pacific Quarter Eagle High-End MS63 Example





4112 1915-S Panama-Pacific Quarter Eagle MS63 NGC. This satiny wheat-gold Pan-Pac quarter eagle displays sharp strike definition and smooth luster. Even under magnification it is difficult to locate grade-limiting surface flaws, as the eye appeal is outstanding for the MS63 level. An exceptional type coin for the classic commemorative collector. NGC ID# BYLP, PCGS# 7450

1915-S Pan-Pac Two and a Half, MS65 Attractive Gem Collector Coin





4113 1915-S Panama-Pacific Quarter Eagle MS65 NGC. A lovely Gem example of this important classic commemorative issue, showing sharp detail and satiny lemon-gold mint luster. Only the faintest of luster grazes are visible beneath a loupe, keeping this attractive type coin from an even finer grade. From a distribution of only 6,749 pieces. NGC ID# BYLP, PCGS# 7450

1916 McKinley Gold Dollar, MS67 Terrific Eye Appeal





4114 1916 McKinley Gold Dollar MS67 PCGS. CAC. One would have a difficult time locating a better-preserved or more appealing example of the 1916 McKinley gold dollar, although there are a dozen Superb Gems with a Plus designation at PCGS that technically rank an half point higher (12/19). Glittering mint luster combines with radiant orange-gold color over smooth, unabraded fields. NGC ID# BYLK, PCGS# 7454

1922 Grant Gold Dollar, MS67+ Gorgeous With Star Variant





4115 1922 Grant Gold Dollar, With Star, MS67+ PCGS. Rich golden-orange color melds with lighter areas of peach and lavender throughout this gorgeous Grant With Star gold dollar. The design is fully impressed without a mark of note. Fewer than three dozen coins in this grade at PCGS are Plus graded. Five submissions are graded numerically finer at that service (1/20). NGC ID# BYPS, PCGS# 7459

MODERN BULLION COIN

1995 Quarter-Ounce Gold Eagle, MS70 Elusive Flawless Example





4116 1995 Quarter-Ounce Gold Eagle MS70 PCGS. From a mintage of 83,752 pieces, the 1995 quarter-ounce Gold Eagle is scarce in the ultimate grade of MS70, especially in a PCGS holder. This magnificent example exhibits technically perfect apricot-gold surfaces, with vibrant mint luster on both sides and sharply detailed design elements throughout. Population: 42 in 70 (12/19). NGC ID# 26MB, PCGS# 9890

TERRITORIAL GOLD

4117 1852 Humbert Ten Dollar — Rim Damage — PCGS Genuine. XF Details. K-10, Low R.4. The well-known firm of Moffat & Company acted as a semiofficial branch mint in the days before the San Francisco Mint was opened, under their charter as the United States Assay Office of Gold. This impressive ten dollar specimen shows light wear on the well-detailed design elements and the lightly abraded orange-gold surfaces retain traces of original mint luster in sheltered areas. The obverse rim shows radial scraping from 11 to 2 o'clock. Listed on page 403 of the 2020 Guide Book. From The McDonald Family Collection.

1853 Assay Office Twenty, AU Details K-18, 900 Thous.





4118 1853 Assay Office, 900 Thous. — Damage — PCGS Genuine. AU Details. K-18, R.2. This is a collectible territorial gold issue, struck in 1853 at the U.S. Assay Office in San Francisco, the predecessor of the San Francisco branch mint that was opened in 1854. The surfaces display rich orange-gold coloration and have strong detail. There are expected abrasions on each side, although a cluster of three hits (possibly from a deliberate stamp) above the eagle's head on the obverse prevent PCGS from assigning a numeric grade. Listed on page 404 of the 2020 Guide Book. From The McDonald Family Collection.

1852 Wass Molitor Five Dollar, VF Details Small Head, K-1, Rare Gold Rush Relic





4119 1852 Wass Molitor, Small Head — Cleaned — NGC Details. VF. K-1, R.6. Wass, Molitor & Co. was one of the best-respected assaying and coining firms in San Francisco during the early years of the California Gold Rush. These gold pieces were welcome sights in circulation at a time when coinage was sorely lacking. This is an example of the rare 1852 Small Head variety modeled after the federal half eagle. Differences are most notable on the coronet ("W.M. & Co.") and reverse legend. This yellow-gold example circulated extensively out West. The surfaces have been brightened by a cleaning. Listed on page 410 of the 2020 Guide Book.

1852 Wass, Molitor & Co Ten Dollar Large Head, Wide Date AU Sharpness, K-4





4120 1852 Wass Molitor Ten Dollar, Large Head, Wide Date — Altered Surfaces — PCGS Genuine. AU Details. K-4, R.5. Wass, Molitor & Co. was among the most respected California private gold coiners. Their coins were generally full weight, and they struck pieces only to fill an economic need: in 1852 when the Assay Office was unable to meet demand, and in 1855 when the San Francisco Mint endured growing pains. This radiant apricotgold example displays light wear on the eagle's neck and wingips. We note a mark on the eagle's head, a line through the G in GOLD, and a possible repair on the dentils between stars 5 and 6. The obverse is slightly "dished" (as struck), and the reverse slightly bowed as a result, weakening the obverse strike and subjecting the reverse to early wear. Listed on page 410 of the 2020 Guide Book.

1854 Kellogg & Co. Twenty, AU Details Long Arrows, K-2





4121 1854 Kellogg & Co. — Cleaned — NGC Details. AU. Long Arrows, K-2, R.4. The Long Arrows on the reverse and the position of CO centered under beads in the tiara identify the popular K-2 variety. This impressive specimen exhibits only light wear on the strongly impressed design elements and the pleasing orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded. Traces of original mint luster remain intact in selected areas, despite the noted cleaning. Listed on page 412 of the 2020 Guide Book.

CALIFORNIA FRACTIONAL GOLD

1854 Octagonal Gold Dollar, MS63 BG-504, Liberty Head / Large Eagle





4122 1854 Liberty Octagonal Dollar, Eagle, BG-504, Low R.5, MS63 PCGS. Struck from the late Die State III with a radial reverse die crack through the left-hand star to the scroll. This design is one of four octagonal varieties issued by Frontier, Deviercy & Co. that roughly imitate the obverse eagle design of the famous Assay Office fifty dollar slugs. Varieties BG-501 and BG-504 are not as rare as BG-503 and BG-503, although all are eagerly collected for their Liberty Head/Large Eagle design, listed on page 418 of the 2020 Guide Book. Most examples circulated. This Select Uncirculated piece is prooflike and sharply struck for the issue. Population: 11 in 63, 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2BKZ, PCGS# 10481

1866 Liberty Octagonal Quarter Dollar BG-708, MS67 Prooflike





4123 1866 Liberty Octagonal 25 Cents, BG-708, High R.4, MS67 Prooflike NGC. An elusive Period Two octagonal quarter dollar struck by Frontier & Co. This is the sole finest BG-708 coin certified (1/20). NGC lists two other pieces in MS67, but neither is Prooflike as this piece is. The strike is sharp, and the bright yellowgold surfaces are without obvious imperfection. NGC ID# 2BMJ, PCGS# 710535

1871 Liberty Octagonal Quarter, MS66 Rare BG-720 Variety





4124 1871 Liberty Octagonal 25 Cents, BG-720, R.7, MS66 PCGS. Diagnostics for the rare BG-720 variety include stars below the bust, near the chin, and behind the hair bun. The top of the 1 in the fraction slopes downward. Circular lathe lines appear on each side of this crudely struck Premium Gem Octagonal quarter. Semiprooflike surfaces feature rich yellow-gold color. The shattered obverse shows a number of fine cracks on the portrait. Population: 1 in 66, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2BMZ, PCGS# 10547

1872 Washington Octagonal Quarter, MS62 Scarcer BG-723 Variety





4125 1872 Washington Octagonal 25 Cents, BG-723, Baker-503A, Musante GW-817, Low R.6, MS62 PCGS. The Washington Head quarters provide a welcome change from the usual Indian or Liberty Head motifs used on most California Fractional Gold issues and BG-723 is much rarer than the other two Washington varieties, BG-722 and BG-818. This well-detailed MS62 specimen is lightly marked and lustrous. Housed in a green label holder. Population: 7 in 62, 8 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 2BN5, PCGS# 10550

1880 Indian Octagonal Quarter, MS67 Prooflike Scarce BG-799K Variety





4126 1880 Indian Octagonal 25 Cents, BG-799K, R.6, MS67 Prooflike PCGS. The B reverse, here dramatically rotated in relation to the Wide Date obverse. A Superb Gem example, with mirrorlike fields and deeply frosted devices. A rare variety from the prolific Christopher Ferdinand Mohrig. We are aware of no finer BG-799K with designated Prooflike surfaces. PCGS# 681385 Base PCGS# 10637

1882 BG-892 Fractional Gold Piece, MS65 Rare Indian Round Twenty-Five Cents





4127 1882 Indian Round 25 Cents, BG-892, High R.7, MS65 NGC. Issued by the firm Nast, Greenzweig & Co. of San Francisco, this Indian round issue was suppressed by the efforts of Secret Service Chief James J. Brooks through his operative, Col. Henry Finnegass, and few pieces survive. The small rounds were struck on copper planchets, then plated with silver, and finally gold-plated. This example is a brilliant and prooflike Gem, one of fewer than a dozen survivors, and it is tied for second or third in the Condition Census for the variety. In 2012, we sold an MS66 PCGS BG-892 for \$17,250 (FUN Signature, 1/2012), lot 6889 — perhaps the finest-known of the type. Census: 1 in 65, 0 finer (12/19). NGC ID# 2BVU, PCGS# 10753

1872/1 Indian Octagonal Half Dollar BG-937, MS66 Deep Mirror Prooflike





4128 1872/1 Indian Octagonal 50 Cents, BG-937, High R.4, MS66 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. Breen-Gillio Die State I, before the cud develops at 3 o'clock on the reverse. BG-937 is a Period Two Christopher Mohrig issue, seldom seen in high grade. This piece is among the finest coins seen. It is the only Deep Mirror Prooflike example yet certified at PCGS, numerically equal to an MS66 Deep Prooflike coin listed at NGC (1/20). The bright yellow-gold surfaces are deeply reflective, contrasted, and sharp. Eye appeal is outstanding. PCGS# 698373 Base PCGS# 10795

1876 Type Two Octagonal Dollar, MS63 BG-1114 Indian Head / Value in Wreath





4129 1876 Indian Octagonal 1 Dollar, BG-1114, High R.7, MS63 PCGS. Strongly contrasted prooflike surfaces feature Herman Brand's Indian portrait, the 6 distant from 187 in the widely spaced date. The reverse legend encircles the wreath, with 1 DOLLAR over star within the wreath. This Select Uncirculated example ranks among the finest known of the variety. A rare and in-demand maverick issue, razor-sharp and beautifully preserved. Population: 4 in 63, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2C3D, PCGS# 10925

1872 Round Dollar, BG-1207, MS64 Scarce Fractional Gold Type





4130 1872 Indian Round 1 Dollar, BG-1207, R.4, MS64 PCGS. This popular Indian Head round dollar variety by Christopher Mohrig has been a collector favorite since the late 1800s, reportedly discovered David Proskey or John W/ Scott. Strong contrast exists between heavily frosted raised elements and prooflike fields. Vibrant yellowgold color attends the Choice Uncirculated surfaces Population: 10 in 64, 3 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2C46, PCGS# 10952

COINS OF HAWAII

4131 1847 Hawaii Cent AU58 NGC. Medcalf 2CC-2. The Crosslet 4 in the date and the 15 berry reverse identifies the popular Medcalf 2CC-2 variety. This attractive near-Mint example shows just the slightest trace of friction on the sharply detailed design elements and the lightly marked surfaces are a pleasing reddish-brown color. NGC ID# 2C52, PCGS# 10965

1847 Hawaii Cent, Medcalf 2CC-1 MS64 Brown, Second Rarest Die Variety





4132 1847 Hawaii Cent MS64 Brown PCGS. CAC. Medcalf 2CC-1. Medcalf 2CC-1, with crosslet 4 in the date and 18 berries on the reverse, considered the second rarest die variety. A berry is centered below the right side of the W. The Crosslet 4, 18 Berries is the second most difficult of six die marriages used on these interesting Hawaiian cents, trailing only the elusive Plain 4, 15 Berries 7x8. This is a pleasing, pristine near-Gem piece with considerable muted red on each side, in spite of the Brown designation. The surfaces are also remarkably free from carbon, which should make this coin especially interesting to the specialist.

Population: 47 in 64 Brown, 6 finer. CAC: 16 in 64, 0 finer (12/19). Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 10/2009), lot 1230. NGC ID# 2C52, PCGS# 10965

4133 1883 Hawaii Quarter MS65 NGC. Struck by the San Francisco Mint for use in Hawaii, the 1883 Hawaii quarter is the most collectible of the silver denominations produced that year. This spectacular Gem is sharply detailed and lustrous, with no mentionable distractions. NGC ID# 2C58, PCGS# 10987

1883 Hawaii Quarter, MS67 Small Survivorship This Fine





4134 1883 Hawaii Quarter MS67 PCGS. Frosty, beautifully preserved mint luster shines through mottled olive, lilac-gray, and russet toning on this Superb Gem Hawaii quarter. Strike sharpness is outstanding, as is the preservation. A highly appealing and conditionally rare example of this Monarchial coinage, produced at the San Francisco Mint. Population: 27 in 67 (3 in 67+), 1 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 2C58, PCGS# 10987

1883 Hawaii Dollar, MS61 Melted in Massive Quantities





4135 1883 Hawaii Dollar MS61 NGC. Ex: 9/09 Hawaii Collection. Bright silver surfaces retain original frosty luster around the legends and within the confines of the central devices. This Hawaiian dollar is generally well-struck with a touch of incompleteness on the sideburns, moustache, and the figure on the right side of the Royal Hawaiian coat of arms. According to the 1937 Annual Mint Director's Report, 455,329 of the 500,000 Hawaiian dollars struck were melted on June 30, 1934.

Ex: 9/09 Hawaii Collection (Goldberg Auctions, 9/2009), lot 1464. NGC ID# 2TGD, PCGS# 10995

PATTERNS

1854 Flying Eagle Cent in Bronze Judd-164, PR67 Brown





4136 1854 Flying Eagle Cent, Judd-164, Pollock-189, R.5 PR67 Brown PCGS. Eagle Eye Photo Seal. The hook-necked flying eagle design is surrounded by stars and the date below. The reverse closely resembles the regular dies issue for the large cent, although the wreath and letters are smaller, as is the diameter. Struck in bronze with a plain edge. Judd-164 was an early part of the Mint effort to replace the cumbersome large cent, culminating in the 1857 Flying Eagle cent. Labeled Brown by NGC, the dominant color on each side, however, is deep blue. The reflective fields greatly enhance the patina. Problem-free, as one would expect from this grade. Population: 0 in 67 Brown, 0 finer (1/20). NGC ID# 29A9, PCGS# 11678

1858 Flying Eagle Cent in Copper-Nickel Judd-191, PR65





4137 1858 Flying Eagle Cent, Judd-191, Pollock-233, Snow-PT14, R.5, PR65 NGC. The obverse is from a regular Flying Eagle Small Letters die, while the reverse displays the wreath introduced on the 1859 Indian cent. The wreath has five-leaf clusters, which designates it as a Pollock-233. Struck in copper-nickel with a plain edge. Each side displays radiant mint red (even though it is copper-nickel composition), and the fields are brightly reflective. NGC ID# 38KC, PCGS# 11840

1869 Standard Silver Quarter in Silver Judd-728, PR67 Cameo





4138 1869 Standard Silver Quarter, Judd-728, Pollock-809, High R.6, PR67 Cameo PCGS. On the obverse a right-facing Liberty wears a starless tiara. A headband behind the tiara bears the legend LIBERTY in raised letters. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA borders the upper rim, with IN GOD WE TRUST on a curved ribbon below. On the reverse STANDARD SILVER borders the upper edge, with 25 / CENTS in an open oak and laurel wreath. Struck in silver with a plain edge. The fields are uncommonly deep in their reflectivity, making the cameo contrast even easier to see on this Gem. The centers are mostly brilliant and gradually deepen to rose and russet toning around the margins. Exceptionally well-preserved. PCGS# 512010 Base PCGS# 60955

1870 Seated Dime in Copper Judd-833, PR66 Red and Brown





4139 1870 Ten Cents, Judd-833, Pollock-923, R.6-7, PR66 Red and Brown NGC. CAC. A left-facing seated Liberty holds a shield at her right side and an olive branch in her left hand. A scroll inscribed with LIBERTY flows across the shield and a crudely fashioned cap and pole are suspended in the background. UNITED STATES / OF AMERICA occupies the periphery with the date, 1870, in exergue. The reverse is that of the regular dime issue for the year. Struck in copper with a reeded edge. The USPatterns.com website states that approximately 12 examples of Judd-833 exist in all grades. Glimmering surfaces radiate lilac and magenta coloration on both sides of this Premium Gem proof. The strike is well-defined. Ex: Stack's private treaty transaction; Lemus / Queller Family Collection, Part Two (Heritage, 1/2009), lot 1730. NGC ID# 29V9, PCGS# 71077

1942 Cent Pattern by Durez, SP62 Judd-2060, RB 42-57 Struck in Compression Molded Phenol





4140 1942 Cent, Judd-2060, Pollock-4035, RB 42-57, Low R.7, SP62 PCGS. Listed on the insert as Brown Plastic, but this piece appears to have actually been struck in compression molded phenol. Most of the examples we have seen adhere to the guideline set out in Roger Burdette's reference that states "... gradual clogging of molds." This piece does not show clogging, leading us to think it is an early impression. Another difference is most examples are "dark brown w/very slight magenta." This piece is almost black, or at least charcoal-gray. The reverse die is rotated approximately 280 degrees. According to Roger, "The design and molding are consistent with RB 42-57 and conform to other pieces made by Durez." He also added "Will be noted in 2nd edition as RB 42-57b color variant." Only the smallest contact marks are seen. NGC ID# 2ANB, PCGS# 12215

ERRORS

1943 Lincoln Cent, AU55 Struck on a Silver Dime Blank





4141 1943 Lincoln Cent — Struck on a Dime Blank — AU55 NGC. 2.5 gm. The insert bears the autograph of noted *Guide Book* authority Ken Bressett. 1943 was the year that Lincoln cents were struck on zinc-plated steel planchets. The few pieces struck on bronze planchets are celebrated and costly rarities, but other off-metal examples of similar rarity are much more affordable. The present cent was struck on a silver dime planchet. The strike could not fully bring up the design on the undersized flan, and the borders and high points show selected softness. The surfaces are surprisingly unabraded and display glimpses of tan-brown and navy-blue patina.

1999 Cent, MS67 Red Spectacular Nine Planchet Bonded Group





4142 1999 Lincoln Cent — Nine Planchet Bonded Group — MS67 Red NGC. 21.66 grams. This spectacular error shows one clear obverse impression in the center with eight other newly fed planchets flared out around the center. Both copper plating as well as the zinc core give the piece an unexpected element of color. Housed in an oversized NGC holder that is sufficiently deep to contain the multiple strikes.

1999-P Nickel, MS68 Seven Planchet Bonded Group





4143 1999-P Jefferson Nickel — Seven Planchet Bonded Group — MS68 NGC. 34.93 grams. This is another spectacular bonded planchet group, but it differs in appearance from the bonded group of cent planchets. The obverse impression is central to the group, but about two-thirds of the central image is surrounded by the multiple layers of successively fed new planchets; then there is a wide flare to the left of multiple strikes. One small piece has broken away from the main group of strikes. Housed in an oversized NGC holder to accommodate the depth of the multiple strikes.

Kennedy Half Dollar Error, MS62 Brown Struck on a Cent Planchet





4144 Undated Kennedy Half Dollar — Struck on a Cent Planchet — MS62 Brown NGC. (3.06 g). This interesting wrong planchet error shows Kennedy's bust and some of the letters in LIBERTY on the obverse, but the date is off the planchet. The reverse exhibits almost all of the eagle and denomination. The planchet is stretched in an oblong oval shape and the steel-brown surfaces are lightly marked, with a few hints of mint luster under the patina.

1964 Kennedy Half Dollar, MS65 Huge Broadstrike, Full Reverse Brockage





4145 1964 Kennedy Half Dollar — Huge Broadstrike, Full Reverse Brockage — MS65 PCGS. The reverse was struck by a previously struck coin, resulting in a incuse, expanded mirror impression. That probably had some effect on this impressive Kennedy half dollar being struck out of collar, producing a wide rim around the upper obverse and lower reverse. Lustrous and mostly brilliant with golden patina.

1987 Silver Eagle, MS64 Struck on a 3M Sanding Disc





4146 1987 Silver Eagle — Struck on a 3M Emery Disc — MS64 PCGS. In the early years of the silver eagle series, 3M emery discs were used to polish dies. The discs are very thin, and have a gray granular front and an adhesive back, revealed when the brown peel is removed. Unpeeled 3M emery discs were inevitably misplaced between silver eagle planchets on rare occasion, and ended up fed (along with a silver eagle planchet) between silver eagle dies. The present emery disc was struck between the obverse die and a silver eagle planchet, which blocked the reverse die. The reverse side thus shows an incused and reversed impression of the obverse design.

Undated 'Silver' Eagle Struck on a 3M Sanding Disc





4147 Undated Silver Eagle — Reverse Image on a Sand Paper Disc — NGC. The legends of this piece state it is "1 OZ. FINE SILVER." However, the present mint error contains no silver at all. An emery (or sanding) disc is wafer-thin, round, granular, and backed by an adhesive. It is typically affixed to a buffing wheel, and was used at the Mint to prepare dies. A sanding disc found its way within a series of silver eagle planchets, and was fed between silver eagle dies, along with a silver eagle planchet. The silver planchet (not included) blocked the obverse die, thus the front of this dark gray piece has a reverse die impression. The other side shows an incused impression of the reverse.

CERTIFIED MODERN PROOF SETS

4148 1936 Five-Piece Proof Set, PR63-PR64 PCGS. This five-piece set contains all PCGS-certified coins. Included are:

Cent — Type One — PR64 Red and Brown. This Satin Finish cent shows an obverse that is more muted, while the reverse retains almost complete mint red.

Nickel — Type One — PR64. This non-reflective proof displays rose and lilac toning in equal measures on both sides. A number of carbon spots on the obverse account for the grade.

Dime PR63. Brilliant throughout, only the faintest hairlines are visible with a loupe.

Quarter PR63. Pale golden toning is seen over each side, and a few wispy hairlines can be found if one looks for them.

Half Dollar PR63. Brilliant and, like the dime and quarter, lightly hairlined.(Total: 5 coins) NGC ID# 22L2, PCGS# 904750

1936 Five-Piece Proof Set, All PR65 Each Coin is NGC Certified



4149 1936 Five-Piece Proof Set PR65 NGC. A uniformly graded five-piece proof set, all NGC-certified. Included are:

Cent — Type Two — PR65 Red and Brown. Predominantly orange-gold, but the obverse border displays cherry-red and seagreen along with a few pinpoint flecks. A fully struck specimen of this low mintage issue.

Nickel — Type One — PR65. Light streaks of golden-rose toning cross each side of this scarcer finish nickel.

Dime PR65. Deeply reflective from vigorous die polishing, as seen by the attenuated leaves on the reverse. Almost brilliant with a few specks of color scattered about.

Quarter PR65. Deeply mirrored fields and brilliant throughout.

Half Dollar PR65. Even, pale golden-rose toning is seen over each side of this key proof Walker. (Total: 5 coins) NGC ID# 22L2, PCGS# 904750

INGOT

1959 San Francisco Mint Silver Ingot Round Dated Hallmark



4150 1959 San Francisco Mint Silver Ingot. 5.15 Ounces. Final ingot for a complete 17-piece type collection of the various five-ounce class silver ingots from this prolific mint. Visit www.silver-ingots. dev.omnispear.org/san-francisco/5-oz-class-type-set for more details. This is a lovely example. The hallmark is well-centered and almost completely on the ingot (missing just a tiny portion of the top of the circle). The hallmark is followed by 5.15 OZS / 999.5 FINE. No impressions are seen on the other sides. Bright underlying silver with a light gray patina throughout. An unimprovable type piece. For a more in-depth look at San Francisco silver ingots go to Ken Conaway's website www.silveringots.com.

LINCOLN

1865 Abraham Lincoln Medal in Gold Julian-PR-36, PR62 Deep Prooflike





4151 1865 Abraham Lincoln Medal, Gold PR62 Deep Prooflike NGC. King-287, Julian-PR-36, Cunningham-9-680. This commemorative U.S. Mint medalet features a right-facing bust of slain president Abraham Lincoln by Anthony Paquet on the obverse, and birth and death dates on the reverse within a wreath. Rich yellow-gold surfaces show coppery accents and scattered hairlines. Cameo contrast is profound. Generally seen in silver and apparently scarce in gold. We can find no recent auction appearances. There was an About Uncirculated example that appeared as lot 307 in Stack's May 1992 sale of the Gilbert Steinberg Collection.

End of Session Three

SESSION FOUR

COLONIALS

- 7001 1652 Pine Tree Shilling, Large Planchet — Edge Damaged, Damage — PCGS Genuine. Fine Details.
- 7002 1722 Rosa Americana Halfpenny, DG REX AU50 PCGS. PCGS Population: (3/14). NGC Census: (0/6). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU50. NGC ID# 2ASH, PCGS# 101
- 7003 1779 Rhode Island Ship Token, No Wreath, Brass, Unc Details Uncertified. Betts-562, W-1730, R.4. NGC notes that this unencapsulated brass piece has been plated. The attractive light gray surfaces are reminiscent of lightly silvered colonials. Listed on page 52 of the 2020 Guide Book. NGC ID# 26LC, PCGS# 588
- 7004 1779 Rhode Island Ship Token, No Wreath, Brass, AU Details Uncertified. Betts-562, W-1730, R.4. NGC notes that this unencapsulated piece has altered surfaces. In our opinion, this light yellow example has been cleaned and has an area of light corrosion affecting seven figures on the island. Listed on page 52 of the 2020 Guide Book. NGC ID# 26LC, PCGS# 588
- 7005 1779 Rhode Island Ship Token, Wreath Below, Brass, XF Details Uncertified. Betts-53, W-1740, R.3. NGC notes active corrosion on this unencapsulated medium yellow-brown example. That corrosion is limited to a few places on the reverse. Listed on page 52 of the 2020 Guide Book. NGC ID# 2AUM, PCGS# 587
- 7006 1779 Rhode Island Ship Token, Wreath Below, Brass, XF Details Uncertified. Betts-53, W-1740, R.3. NGC notes active corrosion on this unencapsulated light brown example. The corrosion is minimal on this otherwise pleasing example. Listed on page 52 of the 2020 Guide Book. NGC ID# 2AUM, PCGS# 587
- 7007 1778-79 Rhode Island Ship Token, Wreath Below, Pewter, Unc Details Uncertified. Betts-563, W-1745, High R.5. NGC notes that this unencapsulated piece is not suitable for certification. Attractive pewter gray surfaces show heavy corrosion in places around the obverse border and at the lower reverse border. The balance retains considerable luster. Listed on page 52 of the 2020 Guide Book. NGC ID# 2AUN, PCGS# 585
- 7008 1773 Virginia Halfpenny, Period, MS64 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (43/2 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (4/0 and 0/0+). NGC ID# 2ATK, PCGS# 242
- 7009 1773 Virginia Halfpenny, Period, MS64 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (42/2). NGC Census: (4/0). NGC ID# 2ATK, PCGS# 242

- 7010 1785 Connecticut Copper, Bust Right, AU50 PCGS. Ex: Hessberg. PCGS Population: (4/4). NGC Census: (7/19). NGC ID# 3788, PCGS# 316
- 7011 1785 Vermont Copper, VERMONTS VF35 PCGS. PCGS Population: (6/16). NGC Census: (5/11). NGC ID# 2B55, PCGS# 539
- 7012 1785 Vermont Copper, VERMONTIS Fine 15 PCGS. PCGS Population: (3/13). NGC Census: (0/4). NGC ID# 2B56, PCGS# 542
- 7013 1 7 8 6 Vermont Copper, VERMONTENSIUM, VF20 PCGS. PCGS Population: (36/165). NGC Census: (7/55). NGC ID# 2B57, PCGS# 545
- 7014 1786 Vermont Copper, VERMONTENSIUM, VF30 PCGS. PCGS Population: (25/115). NGC Census: (10/37). CDN: \$2,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS VF30. NGC ID# 2B57, PCGS# 545
- 7015 1786 Vermont Copper, VERMONTENSIUM, XF40 PCGS. PCGS Population: (30/57). NGC Census: (10/18). CDN: \$4,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40. NGC ID# 2B57, PCGS# 545
- 7016 1786 Vermont Copper, Baby Head Fine 15 PCGS. PCGS Population: (5/16). NGC Census: (0/9). NGC ID# 2B58, PCGS# 548
- 7017 1788 Vermont Copper, Bust Right, XF45 PCGS. PCGS Population: (14/16). NGC Census: (8/19). CDN: \$1,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. NGC ID# 2B5D, PCGS# 563
- 7018 1787 Fugio Cent, STATES UNITED, 4 Cinquefoils, Pointed Rays, XF40 PCGS. PCGS Population: (121/900 and 0/16+). NGC Census: (42/298 and 0/1+). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40. NGC ID# AX5E, PCGS# 883
- 7019 1789 Mott Token, Thick Planchet, Plain Edge MS63 Brown PCGS. PCGS Population: (15/5). NGC Census: (8/11). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. NGC ID# 2B5K, PCGS# 603
- 7020 Mott Token, Thin Planchet, Engrailed Edge, MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (4/4 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). NGC ID# 2B5M, PCGS# 607

HALF CENTS

- 7021 1793 Corrosion NGC Details. VG. Mintage 35,334.
- 7022 1793 C-2, B-2, R.3, Poor 1 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1/13 and 0/1+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). NGC ID# 2222, PCGS# 35006 Base PCGS# 1000

- 7023 1793 Environmental Damage PCGS Genuine. VG Details. C-2, B-2, R.3. Mintage 35,334.

 From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7024 1795 Plain Edge, No Pole VF25 PCGS. PCGS Population: (21/95 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). VF25. Mintage 139,690. NGC ID# 2225, PCGS# 1018 Base PCGS# 1018
- 7025 1804 Plain 4, Stems XF45 NGC. C-11. NGC Census: (0/0). PCGS Population: (10/8). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. NGC ID# 222G, PCGS# 1066 Base PCGS# 1066
- 7026 1806 Small 6, No Stems MS62 Brown NGC. NGC Census: (0/0). PCGS Population: (39/41). MS62. Mintage 356,000. NGC ID# 222J, PCGS# 1093 Base PCGS# 1093

LARGE CENTS

- 7027 1793 Wreath, Lettered Edge Environmental Damage — PCGS Genuine. VG Details. Mintage 63,353.
- 7028 1793 Wreath, Lettered Edge Excessive Corrosion PCGS Genuine. Fine Details. S-11c, B-16c, Low R.3. Mintage 63,353. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7029 1804 Rim Damage PCGS Genuine. Fine Details. S-266c, B-1, R.2. Mintage 96,500. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7030 1816 MS63 Brown PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (85/37). NGC Census: (27/31). CDN: \$800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 2,820,982. NGC ID# 224Z, PCGS# 1591
- 7031 1816 N-2, R.1, MS64 Brown NGC. NGC Census: (14/1). PCGS Population: (3/0). MS64. NGC ID# 224Z, PCGS# 36526 Base PCGS# 1591
- 7032 1822 AU58 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (26/33 and 1/1+). NGC Census: (17/27 and 0/0+). CDN: \$900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 2,072,339. NGC ID# 2259, PCGS# 1624
- 7033 1822 N-4, R.2, MS62 Brown NGC. NGC Census: (5/2). PCGS Population: (2/6). MS62. Mintage 2,072,339. NGC ID# 2259, PCGS# 36721 Base PCGS# 1624
- 7034 1839 Silly Head MS60 Brown ANACS. N-4. Mintage 3,128,661. NGC ID# 225Y, PCGS# 1748

- 7035 1840 Large Date MS64 Brown PCGS. PCGS Population: (22/16 and 4/1+). NGC Census: (17/15 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 2,462,700. NGC ID# 2266, PCGS# 1820
- 7036 1850 N-7, R.2, MS65 Red and Brown PCGS. PCGS Population: (6/1 and 1/0+). NGC Census: (7/4 and 0/0+). MS65. NGC ID# 226G, PCGS# 405881 Base PCGS# 1890





- 7037 1850 N-7, R.2, MS66 Red and Brown PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (1/0 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (4/0 and 0/0+). NGC ID# 226G, PCGS# 405881 Base PCGS# 1890
- 7038 1852 N-8, N-19, R.2, MS66 Brown PCGS. PCGS Population: (1/0 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). MS66. Mintage 5,063,094. NGC ID# 226J, PCGS# 147250 Base PCGS# 1898
- 7039 1855 Upright 5s MS64 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (87/101). NGC Census: (56/40). MS64. Mintage 1,574,829. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 226M, PCGS# 1909
- 7040 1855 Upright 5s MS65 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (86/15). NGC Census: (34/6). MS65. Mintage 1,574,829. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 226M, PCGS# 1909

FLYING EAGLE CENTS

- 7041 1857 MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1173/293). NGC Census: (920/229). MS64. Mintage 17,450,000. NGC ID# 226P, PCGS# 2016
- 7042 1857 MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (217/12). PCGS Population: (270/24). MS65. Mintage 17,450,000. NGC ID# 226P, PCGS# 2016

INDIAN CENTS

- 7043 1859 MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (490/161). PCGS Population: (772/218). MS64. Mintage 36,400,000. NGC ID# 227E, PCGS# 2052
- 7044 1859 MS64 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (772/218). NGC Census: (490/161). MS64. Mintage 36,400,000. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 227E, PCGS# 2052
- 7045 1859 MS64 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (772/218). NGC Census: (490/161). MS64. Mintage 36,400,000. NGC ID# 227E, PCGS# 2052
- 7046 1860 Pointed Bust MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (47/11). NGC Census: (9/2). CDN: \$2,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. NGC ID# 227F, PCGS# 2056
- 7047 1864 Bronze, No L, Snow-11, FS-1401, MS66 Red NGC. Mintage 39,233,712. PCGS# 569239 Base PCGS# 2078
- 7048 1865 Plain 5 MS65 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (10/3 and 1/1+). NGC Census: (2/0 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. NGC ID# 227N, PCGS# 92084 Base PCGS# 2084
- 7049 1865 Fancy 5 MS65 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (49/15 and 2/2+). NGC Census: (31/5 and 0/1+). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 35,429,288. NGC ID# 227N, PCGS# 2084
- 7050 1866 MS64+ Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (37/37 and 4/2+). NGC Census: (16/13 and 1/0+). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 9,826,500. NGC ID# 227P, PCGS# 2087
- 7051 1867 MS65 Red and Brown PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (95/1). NGC Census: (105/12). CDN: \$1,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 9,821,000.
 - From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 227R, PCGS# 2089
- 7052 1869 MS65 Red and Brown PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (128/10). NGC Census: (105/21). CDN: \$1,700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 6,420,000. NGC ID# 227T, PCGS# 2095
- 7053 1869 MS65 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (32/5 and 0/2+). NGC Census: (8/2 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 6,420,000. NGC ID# 227T, PCGS# 2096
- 7054 1870 Pick-Axe, FS-303, MS65 Brown PCGS. PCGS Population: (2/0 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). MS65. Mintage 5,275,000. PCGS# 569246 Base PCGS# 2097

- 7055 1872 MS64 Red and Brown PCGS. PCGS Population: (229/101 and 2/3+). NGC Census: (104/84 and 1/0+). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 4,042,000. NGC ID# 227W, PCGS# 2104
- 7056 1876 MS64 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (62/57). NGC Census: (10/16). CDN: \$1,050 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 7,944,000. NGC ID# 2283, PCGS# 2126
- 7057 1883 MS66 Red NGC. NGC Census: (19/3). PCGS Population: (31/4). CDN: \$2,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 45,598,108. NGC ID# 228A, PCGS# 2147
- 7058 1884 MS65 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (55/18 and 0/4+). NGC Census: (26/5 and 0/1+). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 23,261,742. NGC ID# 228B, PCGS# 2150
- 7059 1887 MS65 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (61/29). NGC Census: (20/6). CDN: \$1,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 45,226,484. NGC ID# 228F, PCGS# 2159
- 7060 1888 MS65 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (33/17). NGC Census: (19/3). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 37,494,416. NGC ID# 228G, PCGS# 2168
- 7061 1889 MS65 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (52/15 and 10/2+). NGC Census: (33/1 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 48,869,360. NGC ID# 2732, PCGS# 2174
- 7062 1891 MS65 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (77/21). NGC Census: (38/3). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 47,072,352. NGC ID# 228K, PCGS# 2180
- 7063 1894 MS65 Red and Brown NGC. NGC Census: (67/4). PCGS Population: (47/5). CDN: \$500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS65. Mintage 16,752,132. NGC ID# 228N, PCGS# 2188
- 7064 1894 MS65+ Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (81/30 and 6/12+). NGC Census: (38/14 and 1/1+). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 16,752,132. NGC ID# 228N, PCGS# 2189





- 7065 1895 MS66 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (51/5 and 13/0+). NGC Census: (34/8 and 1/0+). CDN: \$1,850 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 38,343,636. NGC ID# 228P, PCGS# 2192
- 7066 1897 MS66 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (20/2). NGC Census: (9/1). CDN: \$3,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS66. Mintage 50,466,328. NGC ID# 342W, PCGS# 2198
- 7067 1900 MS66 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (94/23). NGC Census: (39/4). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 66,833,764. NGC ID# 228V, PCGS#
- 7068 1905 MS66 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (61/4). NGC Census: (55/4). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 80,719,160. NGC ID# 2292, PCGS# 2222
- 7069 1908 MS66+ Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (98/3 and 20/0+). NGC Census: (34/3 and 3/0+). CDN: \$1,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 32,327,988. NGC ID# 2295, PCGS# 2231
- 7070 1908-S MS64 Red PCGS. Eagle Eye Photo Seal. PCGS Population: (210/305). NGC Census: (92/115). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,115,000. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 2296. PCGS# 2234
- 7071 1908-S MS65 Red PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (242/63). NGC Census: (85/30). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,115,000.
 - From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 2296, PCGS# 2234

- 7072 1909-S MS64 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (227/196). NGC Census: (101/61). CDN: \$2,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 309,000. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 2298, PCGS# 2240
- 7073 1909-S MS64 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (227/196). NGC Census: (101/61). CDN: \$2,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 309,000. NGC ID# 2298, PCGS# 2240

PROOF INDIAN CENTS

- 7074 1863 PR65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (25/11 and 1/0+). NGC Census: (28/6 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR65. Mintage 460. NGC ID# 229D, PCGS# 2262
- 7075 1864 Copper Nickel PR64 Cameo PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (28/44). NGC Census: (9/16). PR64. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 229E, PCGS# 82265
- 7076 1872 PR64 Red PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (39/21). NGC Census: (12/17). CDN: \$1,875 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR64. Mintage 950. NGC ID# 229R, PCGS# 2305
- 7077 1878 PR66 Red and Brown NGC. NGC Census: (8/0). PCGS Population: (15/1). PR66. Mintage 2,350. NGC ID# 229X, PCGS# 2322
- 7078 1878 PR65 Red PCGS. EX: Eagle Eye Photo Seal. PCGS Population: (35/10). NGC Census: (18/5). PR65. Mintage 2,350. NGC ID# 229X, PCGS# 2323
- 7079 1878 PR65 Red Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (10/3). PCGS Population: (16/8). NGC ID# 4YVB, PCGS# 82323
- 7080 1878 PR66 Red and Brown Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (2/1). PCGS Population: (8/0). NGC ID# 4YVB, PCGS# 82323
- 7081 1880 PR66 ★ Red NGC. NGC Census: (11/2 and 1/0*). PCGS Population: (17/9 and 1/0*). PR66. Mintage 3,955. NGC ID# 229Z, PCGS# 2329
- 7082 1884 PR67 Brown PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (12/0 and 1/0+). NGC Census: (6/1 and 0/0+). PR67. Mintage 3,942. NGC ID# 22A5, PCGS# 2339
- 7083 1885 PR67 Brown PCGS. PCGS Population: (34/0). NGC Census: (12/3). PR67. Mintage 3,790. NGC ID# 22A6, PCGS# 2342
- 7084 1901 PR66 Red and Brown NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (22/7). PCGS Population: (56/13). PR66. Mintage 1,985. NGC ID# 22AP, PCGS# 2391
- 7085 1902 PR66 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (34/10 and 1/0+). NGC Census: (18/3 and 0/0+). PR66. Mintage 2,018. NGC ID# 22AR, PCGS# 2395

LINCOLN CENTS

- 7086 1909-S VDB Brown Altered Color NGC Details. Unc. Mintage 484,000.
- 7087 1909-S VDB MS64 Red and Brown NGC. NGC Census: (869/485). PCGS Population: (2006/1081). CDN: \$1,700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 484,000. NGC ID# 22B2, PCGS# 2427
- 7088 1909-S VDB MS64 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (1025/1177). NGC Census: (273/208). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 484,000. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 22B2, PCGS# 2428
- 7089 1909 MS67 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (83/0). NGC Census: (6/0). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS67. Mintage 72,702,616. NGC ID# 22B3, PCGS# 2431
- 7090 1909-S MS65 Red PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (483/162). NGC Census: (172/68). CDN: \$800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,825,000. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 22B4, PCGS# 2434
- 7091 1909-S/S S Over Horizontal S MS66+ Red PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (88/2 and 25/0+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. NGC ID# 22B4, PCGS# 92434
- 7092 1914-D MS62 Brown NGC. NGC Census: (62/126). PCGS Population: (64/199). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 1,193,000. NGC ID# 84BX, PCGS# 2471
- 7093 1920-D MS65 Red PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (131/9 and 59/0+). NGC Census: (22/1 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 49,280,000. NGC ID# 22C4, PCGS# 2527
- 7094 1922-D MS65+ Red PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (99/14 and 24/3+). NGC Census: (24/2 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,050 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 15,274,000. NGC ID# 22C8, PCGS# 2539
- 7095 1922 No D, Strong Reverse, AU50 PCGS. PCGS Population: (147/291). NGC Census: (0/0). CDN: \$2,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU50. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 22C9, PCGS# 3285
- 7096 1923 MS66+ Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (121/23 and 9/5+). NGC Census: (22/14 and 1/0+). CDN: \$725 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 74,723,000. NGC ID# 22CA, PCGS# 2545
- 7097 1934-D MS67 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (47/0). NGC Census: (26/0). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 28,446,000. NGC ID# 22DA, PCGS# 2638

- 7098 1955 Doubled Die Obverse AU58 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1189/1376). NGC Census: (0/0). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 5,000. NGC ID# 22FG, PCGS# 2825
- 7099 1955 Doubled Die Obverse MS62 Brown PCGS. PCGS Population: (509/809 and 3/14+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 5,000. NGC ID# 22FG, PCGS# 2825
- 7100 1972 Doubled Die Obverse MS67 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (72/1 and 4/0+). NGC Census: (17/0 and 1/0+). CDN: \$3,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 75,000. NGC ID# 22GT, PCGS# 2950
- 7101 1994 Doubled Die Reverse, FS-801, MS67 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (5/0). NGC Census: (0/0). NGC ID# 22JN, PCGS# 38102 Base PCGS# 3115

PROOF LINCOLN CENT





7102 1971-S Doubled Die Obverse PR68 Red Cameo PCGS. PCGS Population: (4/0). NGC Census: (0/0). PCGS# 83548 Base PCGS# 83434

TWO CENT PIECES

- 7103 1864 Large Motto MS65 Red PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (276/68). NGC Census: (116/43). MS65. Mintage 19,847,500.
 - From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 22N9, PCGS# 3578
- 7104 1870 MS64 Red PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (18/19 and 2/0+). NGC Census: (10/9 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 861,250. NGC ID# 22NE, PCGS# 3608

7105 1871 MS64+ Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (14/19 and 1/3+). NGC Census: (3/14 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 721,250. NGC ID# 22NF, PCGS# 3611

PROOF TWO CENT PIECE

7106 1870 PR65 Red PCGS. PCGS Population: (43/16). NGC Census: (24/15). PR65. Mintage 1,000. NGC ID# 274Z, PCGS# 3644

THREE CENT SILVER

- 7107 1851-O MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (60/32 and 1/4+). NGC Census: (46/15 and 0/0+). CDN: \$2,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 720,000. NGC ID# 22YY, PCGS# 3665
- 7108 1854 MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (55/18). NGC Census: (27/5). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 671,000. NGC ID# 22Z3, PCGS# 3670
- 7109 1857 MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (114/46). PCGS Population: (87/45). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,042,000. NGC ID# 22Z6, PCGS# 3673
- 7110 1866 AU55 PCGS. PCGS Population: (10/81). NGC Census: (2/74). CDN: \$825 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 22,000. NGC ID# 22NK, PCGS# 3686
- 7111 1870 MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (10/35). NGC Census: (10/44). CDN: \$1,850 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 3,000. NGC ID# 22ZL, PCGS# 3691

PROOF THREE CENT SILVER

- 7112 1866 PR64 Cameo PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (17/24 and 1/6+). NGC Census: (17/18 and 1/2+). PR64. Mintage 725. NGC ID# 27CC, PCGS# 83716
- 7113 1869/8 PR62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (2/16 and 0/1+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). CDN: \$2,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR62. Mintage 600. NGC ID# 22ZR, PCGS# 3720
- 7114 1871 PR66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (31/6). NGC Census: (19/8). PR66. Mintage 960. NGC ID# 27CG, PCGS# 3722

THREE CENT NICKELS

7115 1866 MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (30/3). NGC Census: (52/2). CDN: \$1,050 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 4,801,000. NGC ID# 22NK, PCGS# 3732

- 7116 1867 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (20/0). NGC Census: (10/3). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 3,915,000. NGC ID# 26K7, PCGS# 3733
- 7117 1873 Closed 3 MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (14/1). NGC Census: (11/1). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 1,173,000. NGC ID# 22NP, PCGS# 3739
- 7118 1876 MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (35/11). NGC Census: (18/4). CDN: \$1,275 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 162,000. NGC ID# 275A, PCGS# 3744

PROOF THREE CENT NICKELS

- 7119 1876 PR65 Ultra Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (1/10). PCGS Population: (9/5). PR65. NGC ID# DA69, PCGS# 93772
- 7120 1876 PR66 Ultra Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (8/2). PCGS Population: (5/0). PR66. NGC ID# DA69, PCGS# 93772
- 7121 1883 PR67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (95/8 and 8/1+). NGC Census: (80/3 and 3/1+). PR67. Mintage 6,609. NGC ID# 2765, PCGS# 3779

SHIELD NICKELS

- 7122 1866 Rays MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (172/22). PCGS Population: (172/49). MS65. Mintage 14,742,500. NGC ID# 22NX, PCGS# 3790
- 7123 1866 Rays MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (175/49). NGC Census: (172/22). MS65. Mintage 14,742,500. NGC ID# 22NX, PCGS# 3790
- 7124 1867 Rays MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (53/13). PCGS Population: (42/8). CDN: \$2,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 2,019,000. NGC ID# 22NY, PCGS# 3791
- 7125 1873 Closed 3 MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (36/31). NGC Census: (0/0). CDN: \$1,075 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. NGC ID# 22P7, PCGS# 3801
- 7126 1873 Closed 3 MS64+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (36/31 and 2/13+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,075 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. NGC ID# 22P7, PCGS# 3801
- 7127 1879 MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (9/90). NGC Census: (3/48). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 25,900. NGC ID# 5KWK, PCGS# 3808
- 7128 1883/2 FS-303 MS60 NGC. NGC Census: (1/8). PCGS Population: (0/9). MS60. Mintage 1,456,919. PCGS# 38414 Base PCGS# 3813

PROOF SHIELD NICKELS

- 7129 1870 PR66 Cameo PCGS. PCGS Population: (24/3). NGC Census: (16/3). PR66. NGC ID# 276L, PCGS# 83824
- 7130 1877 Corrosion Removed PCGS Proof Genuine. Unc Details. Mintage 900. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7131 1879/8 PR66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (121/40). NGC Census: (0/0). CDN: \$900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS PR66. NGC ID# 22PG, PCGS# 3834
- 7132 1879/8 PR66 Cameo PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (37/10). NGC Census: (0/0). PR66. NGC ID# 22PG, PCGS# 83834





7133 1883 PR67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (42/0 and 2/0+). NGC Census: (47/1 and 1/0+). PR67. Mintage 5,419. NGC ID# 276Z, PCGS# 3838

LIBERTY NICKELS

- 7134 1886 MS63 NGC. NGC Census: (48/93). PCGS Population: (96/193). CDN: \$1,675 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 3,330,290. NGC ID# 277U, PCGS# 3847
- 7135 1886 MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (96/193). NGC Census: (48/93). CDN: \$1,675 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 3,330,290. NGC ID# 277U, PCGS# 3847
- 7136 1896 MS65 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (71/30 and 2/4+). NGC Census: (49/3 and 0/0+). CDN: \$825 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 8,842,920. NGC ID# 277B, PCGS# 3857

- 7137 1897 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (23/2). NGC Census: (6/0). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 20,428,736. NGC ID# 22PN, PCGS# 3858
- 7138 1912-S MS63 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (167/682). NGC Census: (88/389). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 238,000. NGC ID# 277R, PCGS# 3875
- 7139 1912-S MS64 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (373/309). NGC Census: (290/99). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 238,000. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 277R, PCGS# 3875
- 7140 1912-S MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (258/50). NGC Census: (90/9). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 238,000. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 277R, PCGS# 3875
- 7141 1912-S MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (258/51). NGC Census: (90/9). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 238,000. NGC ID# 277R, PCGS# 3875

PROOF LIBERTY NICKELS

- 7142 1883 No Cents PR67+ NGC. NGC Census: (16/0 and 1/0+). PCGS Population: (10/0 and 3/0+). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR67. Mintage 5,219. NGC ID# 22PU, PCGS# 3878
- 7143 1885 PR65 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (284/161). NGC Census: (221/117). CDN: \$1,050 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR65. Mintage 3,790. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 277T, PCGS# 3883
- 7144 1902 PR67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (19/0 and 9/0+). NGC Census: (16/2 and 1/0+). CDN: \$1,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR67. Mintage 2,018. NGC ID# 278C, PCGS# 3900

BUFFALO NICKELS

- 7145 1913 Type One MS67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (695/29). NGC Census: (324/26). MS67. Mintage 30,993,520. NGC ID# 22PW, PCGS# 3915
- 7146 1913-D Type One MS67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (81/3). NGC Census: (24/1). CDN: \$1,550 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 5,337,000. NGC ID# 22PX, PCGS# 3916
- 7147 1913-S Type One MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (211/35 and 21/6+). NGC Census: (60/20 and 4/7+). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 2,105,000. NGC ID# 22PY, PCGS# 3917

- 7148 1913-S Type One MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (211/35). NGC Census: (60/20). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 2,105,000. NGC ID# 22PY, PCGS# 3917
- 7149 1913-S Type Two MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (446/194). NGC Census: (246/81). CDN: \$1,325 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,209,000. NGC ID# 22R3, PCGS# 3923
- 7150 1913-S Type Two MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (65/16). PCGS Population: (136/58). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,209,000. NGC ID# 22R3, PCGS# 3923
- 7151 1914/3 FS-101 MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1/2). NGC Census: (0/0). MS62. NGC ID# 22R4, PCGS# 147844 Base PCGS# 93924
- 7152 1914-D MS65 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (193/62). NGC Census: (70/21). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 3,912,000. NGC ID# 22R5, PCGS# 3925
- 7153 1915-S MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (278/173). NGC Census: (185/83). CDN: \$1,450 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,505,000. NGC ID# 22R9, PCGS# 3929
- 7154 1915-S MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (132/41). NGC Census: (57/26). CDN: \$2,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,505,000. NGC ID# 22R9, PCGS# 3929
- 7155 1917-D MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (193/29). NGC Census: (51/5). CDN: \$1,450 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 9,910,000. NGC ID# 22RE, PCGS# 3935
- 7156 1917-S MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (129/338). NGC Census: (57/221). CDN: \$1,350 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 4,193,000. NGC ID# 22RF, PCGS# 3936





- 7157 1918 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (90/11 and 7/0+). NGC Census: (8/2 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,680 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 32,086,314. NGC ID# 22RG, PCGS# 3037
- 7158 1918-S MS63 NGC. NGC Census: (67/214). PCGS Population: (159/236). CDN: \$1,700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 4,882,000. NGC ID# 22RK, PCGS# 3940
- 7159 1919-D MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (253/99). NGC Census: (125/23). CDN: \$1,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 8,006,000. NGC ID# 22RM, PCGS# 3942
- 7160 1919-D MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (252/98). NGC Census: (125/23). CDN: \$1,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 8,006,000. NGC ID# 22RM, PCGS# 3942
- 7161 1919-D MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (253/98). NGC Census: (125/23). CDN: \$1,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 8,006,000. NGC ID# 22RM, PCGS# 3942
- 7162 1919-S MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (222/33). NGC Census: (124/20). CDN: \$1,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 7,521,000. NGC ID# 22RN, PCGS# 3943
- 7163 1920-D MS63 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (129/372). NGC Census: (61/272). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 9,418,000. NGC ID# 22RR, PCGS# 3945
- 7164 1920-D MS63 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (129/372). NGC Census: (61/272). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 9,418,000. NGC ID# 22RR, PCGS# 3945
- 7165 1920-S MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (154/278). NGC Census: (67/227). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 9,689,000. NGC ID# 22RS, PCGS# 3946

- 7166 1920-S MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (245/32). NGC Census: (207/20). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 9,689,000. NGC ID# 22RS, PCGS# 3946
- 7167 1921 MS65 PCGS. Gold CAC. PCGS Population: (298/247). NGC Census: (138/67). CDN: \$675 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 10,663,000. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 22RT, PCGS# 3947
- 7168 1921-S AU58 NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (30/244). PCGS Population: (57/410). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 1,557,000. NGC ID# 22RU, PCGS# 3948
- 7169 1923-S MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (459/63). NGC Census: (318/44). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 6,142,000. NGC ID# 22RW, PCGS# 3950
- 7170 1923-S MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (459/63). NGC Census: (318/44). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 6,142,000. NGC ID# 22RW, PCGS# 3950
- 7171 1924 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (140/8). NGC Census: (34/5). CDN: \$1,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 21,620,000. NGC ID# 22RX, PCGS# 3951
- 7172 1924-D MS64 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (341/161). NGC Census: (255/21). CDN: \$1,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 5,258,000. NGC ID# 22RY, PCGS# 3952
- 7173 1925-S MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (226/309). NGC Census: (113/200). CDN: \$1,450 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 6,256,000. NGC ID# 22S4, PCGS# 3956
- 7174 1925-S MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (226/309). NGC Census: (113/200). CDN: \$1,450 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 6,256,000. NGC ID# 22S4, PCGS# 3956
- 7175 1927-S MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (159/21). PCGS Population: (282/41). CDN: \$2,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 3,430,000. NGC ID# 22SA, PCGS# 3962
- 7176 1928-S MS65 NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (42/12). PCGS Population: (104/16). CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 6,936,000. NGC ID# 22SD, PCGS# 3965
- 7177 1936 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (179/2 and 43/0+). NGC Census: (142/2 and 8/1+). CDN: \$400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 119,001,424. NGC ID# 22SS, PCGS# 3977
- 7178 1936 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (180/2 and 46/0+). NGC Census: (142/3 and 9/1+). CDN: \$400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 119,001,424. NGC ID# 22SS, PCGS# 3977

7179 1937-D Three-Legged, FS-901, AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (1343/1707). PCGS Population: (10/10). AU58. Mintage 17,826,000. NGC ID# 22SX, PCGS# 38475 Base PCGS# 3982

PROOF BUFFALO NICKELS

- 7180 1913 Type Two PR66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (120/83). NGC Census: (73/41). PR66. Mintage 1,514. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 278S, PCGS# 3990
- 7181 1915 PR65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (134/230). NGC Census: (108/132). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR65. Mintage 1,050. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 278U, PCGS# 3992
- 7182 1915 PR66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (158/72). NGC Census: (94/38). PR66. Mintage 1,050. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 278U, PCGS# 3992
- 7183 1936 Type One Satin Finish PR67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (305/49). NGC Census: (129/28). PR67. Mintage 4,420. NGC ID# 278X, PCGS# 3994
- 7184 1936 Type Two Brilliant Finish PR64+ NGC. NGC Census: (99/446 and 1/5+). PCGS Population: (180/796 and 0/70+). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR64. Mintage 4,420. NGC ID# 278Y, PCGS# 3995
- 7185 1936 Type Two Brilliant Finish PR65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (287/509 and 1/69+). NGC Census: (138/308 and 0/5+). PR65. Mintage 4,420. NGC ID# 278Y, PCGS# 3995
- 7186 1936 Type Two Brilliant Finish PR66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (325/187). NGC Census: (194/114). PR66. Mintage 4,420. NGC ID# 278Y, PCGS# 3995
- 7187 1937 PR67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (526/49 and 98/2+). NGC Census: (324/56 and 15/1+). PR67. Mintage 5,769. NGC ID# 278Z, PCGS# 3996

JEFFERSON NICKELS





- 7188 1938-D MS68 PCGS. PCGS Population: (4/0 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (9/0 and 0/0+). Mintage 5,376,000. NGC ID# CNZP, PCGS# 4001
- 7189 1939 Doubled Monticello MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (46/11 and 4/2+). NGC Census: (7/2 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. NGC ID# 22T8, PCGS# 4004
- 7190 1939-D Reverse of 1940 MS67 Full Steps PCGS. PCGS Population: (8/1). NGC Census: (2/0). CDN: \$2,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. NGC ID# 22TA, PCGS# 894005
- 7191 1943-S MS67+ Full Steps PCGS. PCGS Population: (156/2 and 26/0+). NGC Census: (87/2 and 3/0+). CDN: \$200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. NGC ID# 22TT, PCGS# 84021
- 7192 1946-D D Over Inverted D, FS-501, MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (5/0). NGC Census: (4/0). NGC ID# 22U3, PCGS# 38507 Base PCGS# 4029

EARLY HALF DIME

7193 1795 — Scratches — NGC Details. VF. Mintage 78,600.

BUST HALF DIMES

- 7194 1830 MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (87/64). NGC Census: (98/63). MS64. Mintage 1,200,000. NGC ID# 232C, PCGS# 4277
- 7195 1837 Large 5C MS63 Prooflike PCGS. PCGS Population: (1/0 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). PCGS# 784924

SEATED HALF DIMES

- 7196 1838 Large Stars, No Drapery, MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (28/8). NGC Census: (42/23). MS66. Mintage 2,225,000. NGC ID# 2TXX, PCGS# 4317
- 7197 1863 MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (14/20). NGC Census: (19/17). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 18,000. NGC ID# 234C. PCGS# 4382

EARLY DIMES

- 7198 1797 JR-2, R.4, 13 Stars Cleaned PCGS Genuine. Good Details. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7199 1802 JR-4, R.4 Repaired PCGS Genuine. Fine Details. Mintage 10,975. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7200 1804 JR-2, R.5, 14 Stars on Reverse — Plugged — PCGS Genuine. VG Details. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7201 1805 4 Berries VF20 PCGS. PCGS Population: (34/289 and 0/8+). NGC Census: (2/21 and 0/0+). VF20. Mintage 120,780. NGC ID# 236S, PCGS# 4477

BUST DIMES

- 7202 1824/2 AU58 PCGS. PCGS Population: (6/19 and 0/1+). NGC Census: (9/21 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 510,000. NGC ID# 2373, PCGS# 4502
- 7203 1833 MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (31/107). NGC Census: (21/112). MS62. Mintage 485,000. NGC ID# 237D, PCGS# 4522
- 7204 1836 MS63 NGC. NGC Census: (20/39). PCGS Population: (34/44). MS63. Mintage 1,190,000. NGC ID# 237G, PCGS# 4528

SEATED DIMES

- 7205 1840 No Drapery MS64 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (27/16 and 4/3+). NGC Census: (14/23 and 0/0+). MS64. Mintage 981,500. NGC ID# 237Z, PCGS# 4573
- 7206 1852 MS65+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (12/9 and 9/3+). NGC Census: (9/6 and 0/0+). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,535,500. NGC ID# 238N, PCGS# 4597
- 7207 1853 Arrows MS66 NGC. NGC Census: (38/15). PCGS Population: (41/18). MS66. Mintage 12,078,010. NGC ID# 2398, PCGS# 4603

- 7208 1859-O MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (14/15). PCGS Population: (9/15). CDN: \$1,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 480,000. NGC ID# 2395, PCGS# 4620
- 7209 1863 XF45 PCGS. PCGS Population: (3/43). NGC Census: (0/32). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. Mintage 14,000. NGC ID# 239K, PCGS# 4637
- 7210 1864 AU50 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (2/43). NGC Census: (0/37). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU50. Mintage 11,000. NGC ID# 239M, PCGS# 4639
- 7211 1865 Fine 15 PCGS. PCGS Population: (2/47). NGC Census: (3/45). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS Fine 15. Mintage 10,000. NGC ID# 239P, PCGS# 4641
- 7212 1871-CC F-101, R.4 Damage PCGS Genuine. VG Details. Mintage 18,791. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7213 1873-CC Arrows, F-101, R.4 Environmental Damage PCGS Genuine. VF Details. Mintage 18,791. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7214 1876-CC MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (41/26 and 1/0+). NGC Census: (37/22 and 0/1+). CDN: \$1,050 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 8,270,000. NGC ID# 23AJ, PCGS# 4680





- 7215 1887 MS67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (7/0). NGC Census: (4/0). MS67. Mintage 11,283,229. NGC ID# 23B5, PCGS# 4698
- 7216 1889 MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (32/8). NGC Census: (21/7). MS66. Mintage 7,380,000. NGC ID# 23B9, PCGS# 4702

7217 1890 MS67 NGC. NGC Census: (8/1). PCGS Population: (6/0). MS67. Mintage 9,910,951. NGC ID# 23BB, PCGS# 4704

PROOF SEATED DIME

7218 1885 PR65 Cameo PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (13/39 and 3/4+). NGC Census: (11/45 and 0/3+). PR65. NGC ID# 23DA, PCGS# 84782

BARBER DIMES

- 7219 1902 MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (19/3). NGC Census: (11/0). CDN: \$1,050 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 21,380,776. NGC ID# 23EJ, PCGS# 4827
- 7220 1905-O MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (20/4 and 3/3+). NGC Census: (7/3 and 0/0+). CDN: \$2,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 3,400,000. NGC ID# 23EU, PCGS# 4836
- 7221 1907 MS66+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (19/2 and 10/0+). NGC Census: (41/0 and 1/0+). MS66. Mintage 22,220,576. NGC ID# 23F3, PCGS# 4842
- 7222 1915 MS67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (5/0 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (1/0 and 0/0+). MS67. Mintage 5,620,450. NGC ID# 23FW, PCGS# 4868

PROOF BARBER DIMES

- 7223 1892 PR67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (13/0 and 1/0+). NGC Census: (16/0 and 0/0+). PR67. Mintage 1,245. NGC ID# 23G3, PCGS# 4875
- 7224 1894 PR66 Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (15/12). PCGS Population: (19/5). PR66. NGC ID# 23G6, PCGS# 84878
- 7225 1911 PR66 Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (7/14). PCGS Population: (15/9). PR66. NGC ID# 23GS, PCGS# 84895

MERCURY DIMES

- 7226 1916-D Fine 15 PCGS. PCGS Population: (167/956). NGC Census: (68/417). CDN: \$2,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS Fine 15. Mintage 264,000. NGC ID# 23GY, PCGS# 4906
- 7227 1916-D Surface Smoothed PCGS Genuine. VF Details. Mintage 264,000.
- 7228 1920 MS67 Full Bands PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (43/0). NGC Census: (16/2). CDN: \$1,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 59,030,000. NGC ID# 23HB, PCGS# 4929

- 7229 1920-D MS65 Full Bands NGC. NGC Census: (14/12). PCGS Population: (61/30). CDN: \$2,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 19,171,000. NGC ID# 23HC, PCGS# 4931
- 7230 1927-D MS66 NGC. NGC Census: (9/0). PCGS Population: (14/0). CDN: \$1,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 4,812,000. NGC ID# 23HV, PCGS# 4962
- 7231 1928-D MS65 Full Bands PCGS. PCGS Population: (78/30). NGC Census: (19/20). CDN: \$1,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 4,161,000. NGC ID# 23HY, PCGS# 4969
- 7232 1928-S MS65 Full Bands PCGS. PCGS Population: (74/53 and 3/7+). NGC Census: (17/12 and 0/1+). CDN: \$1,450 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 7,400,000. NGC ID# 23HZ, PCGS# 4971
- 7233 1929-D MS67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (7/2 and 10/1+). NGC Census: (9/1 and 1/0+). CDN: \$400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 5,034,000. NGC ID# 23J3, PCGS# 4974
- 7234 1929-S MS67 Full Bands NGC. NGC Census: (13/0). PCGS Population: (52/0). CDN: \$1,850 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 4,730,000. NGC ID# 23]4, PCGS# 4977
- 7235 1942/1-D AU58 Full Bands NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (21/79). PCGS Population: (35/142). Mintage 60,740,000. NGC ID# 23K6, PCGS# 5041

PROOF MERCURY DIME

7236 1936 PR66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (377/94 and 11/7+). NGC Census: (295/88 and 4/2+). CDN: \$925 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR66. Mintage 4,130. NGC ID# 27DG, PCGS# 5071

ROOSEVELT DIME

7237 1950-S MS68★ Full Bands NGC. NGC Census: (6/0). PCGS Population: (5/0). Mintage 20,440,000. NGC ID# 23KZ, PCGS# 85096

TWENTY CENT PIECES

7238 1875 MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (47/32). PCGS Population: (65/33). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 38,500. NGC ID# 23R5, PCGS# 5296





7239 1875-S MS65+ NGC. NGC Census: (197/57 and 3/2+). PCGS Population: (209/69 and 9/11+). MS65. Mintage 1,155,000. NGC ID# 23R7, PCGS# 5298

EARLY QUARTERS

- 7240 1804 B-1, R.3 Damage PCGS Genuine. Good Details. Mintage (all varieties) 6,738. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7241 1805 B-2, R.2 Cleaned PCGS Genuine. XF Details. Mintage (all varieties) 121,394. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7242 1806/5 B-1 Corroded ANACS. XF40 Details. 6.57 grams
- 7243 1806 Fine 12 PCGS. PCGS Population: (98/439). NGC Census: (27/214). Fine 12. Mintage 206,124. NGC ID# 23RD, PCGS# 5314
- 7244 1806 VF25 NGC. NGC Census: (17/155). PCGS Population: (51/252). VF25. Mintage 206,124. NGC ID# 23RD. PCGS# 5314

BUST QUARTERS

- 7245 1821 B-2, High R.4, XF45 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1/4 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (1/3 and 0/0+). XF45. Mintage 216,851.
 - From The Spring Creek Collection, Part III. NGC ID# 23RM, PCGS# 38964 Base PCGS# 5331
- 7246 1824/2 VG10 PCGS. PCGS Population: (23/133). NGC Census: (0/0). CDN: \$1,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS VG10. Mintage 24,000. NGC ID# 23RR, PCGS# 5335

SEATED QUARTERS

- 7247 1852-O VF35 PCGS. PCGS Population: (8/19 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (0/13 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS VF35. Mintage 96,000. NGC ID# 23T9, PCGS# 5420
- 7248 1854-O Huge O VF25 PCGS. PCGS Population: (5/38 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (6/23 and 0/0+). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS VF25. Mintage 1,484,000. NGC ID# 23U7, PCGS# 5434
- 7249 1860 MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (10/7). PCGS Population: (22/13). CDN: \$1,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 805,400. NGC ID# 23TP, PCGS# 5451
- 7250 1866-S VF25 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (12/38 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (1/12 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS VF25. Mintage 28,000. From The Spring Creek Collection,

From The Spring Creek Collection, Part III. NGC ID# 23UC, PCGS# 5469

- 7251 1871-CC Briggs 1-A, Flynn-RPD-001— Environmental Damage—PCGS Genuine. Good Details.

 Mintage 10,890.

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- 7252 1872-CC Briggs 1-A Edge Damaged — PCGS Genuine. AG Details. Mintage 22,850. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7253 1872-S Cleaned PCGS Genuine. Good Details. Mintage 83,000. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7254 1874-S Arrows MS63 NGC. NGC Census: (11/90). PCGS Population: (18/153). MS63. Mintage 392,000. NGC ID# 23VY, PCGS# 5495

PROOF SEATED QUARTERS

- 7255 1863 PR64 Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (12/10). PCGS Population: (20/9). PR64. Mintage 460. NGC ID# 23WR, PCGS# 85559
- 7256 1870 PR65 Cameo PCGS. PCGS Population: (10/2). NGC Census: (9/4). PR65. NGC ID# 29XD, PCGS# 85569
- 7257 1877 PR65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (18/10). NGC Census: (19/11). PR65. Mintage 510.
 From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 23X9, PCGS# 5578
- 7258 1881 PR66 Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (10/4). PCGS Population: (21/9). PR66. Mintage 975. NGC ID# CFBL, PCGS# 85582
- 7259 1883 PR65 Cameo PCGS. PCGS Population: (19/18). NGC Census: (15/17). PR65. NGC ID# 23XF, PCGS# 85584

7260 1889 PR66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (15/7 and 2/1+). NGC Census: (20/9 and 3/0+). PR66. Mintage 711. NGC ID# 44CX, PCGS# 5590

BARBER QUARTERS

- 7261 1892 MS64+ Prooflike NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (1/5 and 1/0+). PCGS Population: (0/0 and 0/1+). PCGS# 85601
- 7262 1896-S Obverse Damaged NGC Details. Fine. Mintage 188,039.
- 7263 1900-O MS64 NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (23/11). PCGS Population: (17/21). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 3,416,000. NGC ID# 23YL, PCGS# 5626
- 7264 1901-8 AG3 PCGS. PCGS Population: (335/496 and 0/4+). NGC Census: (0/143 and 0/0+). CDN: \$2,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AG3 . Mintage 72,664. NGC ID# 23YR, PCGS# 5630
- 7265 1904 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (9/2). NGC Census: (3/1). CDN: \$2,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 9,588,813. NGC ID# 23YY, PCGS# 5637
- 7266 1907-O MS65 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (18/17). NGC Census: (17/9). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 4,560,000. NGC ID# 23ZA, PCGS# 5647
- 7267 1914-S Cleaned NGC Details. Unc. Mintage 264,000.
- 7268 1915-S MS65 PCGS. CAC. PCGS
 Population: (21/25). NGC Census:
 (16/10). CDN: \$900 Whsle. Bid for
 NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 704,000.
 From The Triplets Collection. NGC
 ID# 2424, PCGS# 5672

PROOF BARBER QUARTERS





- 7269 1900 PR67 NGC. NGC Census: (16/7). PCGS Population: (9/1). PR67. Mintage 912. NGC ID# 43VN, PCGS# 5686
- 7270 1904 PR66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (33/13 and 1/2+). NGC Census: (34/37 and 1/0+). PR66. Mintage 670. NGC ID# 242K, PCGS# 5690
- 7271 1909 PR66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (32/31 and 1/5+). NGC Census: (40/34 and 0/0+). PR66. Mintage 650. NGC ID# 242R, PCGS# 5695
- 7272 1912 PR65 Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (13/14). PCGS Population: (12/16). PR65. NGC ID# 242U, PCGS# 85698
- 7273 1912 PR65 Cameo PCGS. PCGS Population: (12/16). NGC Census: (13/14). PR65. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 242U, PCGS# 85698

STANDING LIBERTY QUARTERS

- 7274 1917 Type One MS66 Full Head PCGS. PCGS Population: (582/88 and 52/10+). NGC Census: (342/63 and 6/5+). MS66. Mintage 8,740,000. NGC ID# 242Z, PCGS# 5707
- 7275 1917 Type One MS66+ Full Head PCGS. PCGS Population: (582/88 and 52/10+). NGC Census: (342/63 and 6/5+). MS66. Mintage 8,740,000. NGC ID# 242Z, PCGS# 5707
- 7276 1917-D Type One MS65 Full Head PCGS. PCGS Population: (323/196). NGC Census: (186/84). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,509,200. NGC ID# 2432, PCGS# 5709

- 7277 1917-S Type One MS64 Full Head PCGS. PCGS Population: (304/303 and 8/17+). NGC Census: (177/172 and 0/4+). CDN: \$1,050 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,952,000. NGC ID# 2433, PCGS# 5711
- 7278 1917 Type Two MS66 Full Head PCGS. PCGS Population: (112/15 and 16/3+). NGC Census: (44/12 and 5/1+). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 13,880,000. NGC ID# 2434, PCGS# 5715
- 7279 1917-D Type Two MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (24/2 and 0/2+). NGC Census: (16/0 and 1/1+). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 6,224,400. NGC ID# 3TWS, PCGS# 5716
- 7280 1917-D Type Two MS65 Full Head PCGS. PCGS Population: (77/28). NGC Census: (29/6). CDN: \$2,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 6,224,400. NGC ID# 2435, PCGS# 5717
- 7281 1918-S MS64 Full Head PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (100/47 and 4/5+). NGC Census: (54/22 and 1/1+). CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 11,072,000. NGC ID# 2439, PCGS# 5725
- 7282 1920-S MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (107/61). PCGS Population: (162/83). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 6,380,000. NGC ID# 243G, PCGS# 5738
- 7283 1920-S MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (162/83). NGC Census: (107/61). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 6,380,000. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 243G, PCGS# 5738
- 7284 1921 MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (113/34 and 5/0+). NGC Census: (78/21 and 0/1+). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,916,000. NGC ID# 243H, PCGS# 5740
- 7285 1923-S Cleaned PCGS Genuine. Unc Details. Mintage 1,360,000.
- 7286 1926-S MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (26/12). PCGS Population: (76/26). CDN: \$2,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 2,700,000. NGC ID# 4462, PCGS# 5758
- 7287 1927-D MS65 Full Head PCGS. PCGS Population: (99/19 and 6/3+). NGC Census: (50/14 and 1/1+). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 976,000. NGC ID# 243V, PCGS# 5763
- 7288 1928-S MS66 Full Head PCGS. PCGS Population: (124/23). NGC Census: (112/40). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 2,644,000. NGC ID# 243Z, PCGS# 5771

WASHINGTON QUARTERS

- 7289 1932-D MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (765/776). NGC Census: (242/251). CDN: \$1,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 436,800. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 2448, PCGS# 5791
- 7290 1932-D MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (687/89). NGC Census: (227/24). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 436,800. NGC ID# 2448, PCGS# 5791
- 7291 1932-D MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (687/89). NGC Census: (227/24). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 436,800. NGC ID# 2448, PCGS# 5791
- 7292 1932-D MS64+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (688/89 and 32/5+). NGC Census: (227/24 and 5/0+). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 436,800. NGC ID# 2448, PCGS# 5791
- 7293 1932-8 MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (184/4). NGC Census: (73/8). CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 408,000. NGC ID# 2449, PCGS# 5792





- 7294 1935-D MS67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (24/0 and 6/0+). NGC Census: (15/0 and 1/0+). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 5,780,000. NGC ID# 244E, PCGS# 5798
- 7295 1936-D MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (157/25 and 23/6+). NGC Census: (62/14 and 6/1+). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 5,374,000. NGC ID# 244H, PCGS# 5801
- 7296 1937-D MS67+ NGC. NGC Census: (23/0 and 3/0+). PCGS Population: (88/0 and 9/0+). CDN: \$700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 7,189,600. NGC ID# 244L, PCGS# 5804

- 7297 1948 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (126/2 and 24/0+). NGC Census: (295/1 and 3/0+). CDN: \$140 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 35,196,000. NGC ID# 245L, PCGS# 5836
- 7298 1961-D MS67 NGC. NGC Census: (15/0). PCGS Population: (10/0). CDN: \$3,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 83,656,928. NGC ID# 246N, PCGS# 5871

PROOF WASHINGTON QUARTERS

- 7299 1938 PR67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (143/9 and 45/0+). NGC Census: (93/11 and 1/0+). CDN: \$700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR67. Mintage 8,045. NGC ID# 27HR, PCGS# 5977
- 7300 1938 PR67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (143/9 and 45/0+). NGC Census: (93/11 and 1/0+). CDN: \$700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR67. Mintage 8,045. NGC ID# 27HR, PCGS# 5977

EARLY HALF DOLLARS

- 7301 1794 O-101a Repaired PCGS Genuine. VG Details. Mintage (all varieties) 23,464. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7302 1802 O-101, T-1, R.3 Cleaned PCGS Genuine. Fine Details. Mintage 29,890.
 From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7303 1806 Pointed 6, No Stem, XF45 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (50/112). NGC Census: (0/0). XF45. From The Spring Creek Collection, Part III. NGC ID# 24EJ, PCGS# 6073 Base PCGS# 6073
- 7304 1806 Pointed 6, Stem, AU50 PCGS. PCGS Population: (67/184). NGC Census: (42/198). AU50. Mintage 839,576. NGC ID# 24EJ, PCGS# 6071 Base PCGS# 6071
- 7305 1806 Pointed 6, Stem, O-115, T-17, R.1, XF40 PCGS. PCGS Population: (3/6 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (4/13 and 0/0+). XF40. NGC ID# 24EJ, PCGS# 39317 Base PCGS# 6071
- 7306 1807 Draped Bust, O-105, T-4, R.1, — Cleaning — PCGS Genuine. AU Details. PCGS Population: (1/6). NGC Census: (1/8). AU50.

BUST HALF DOLLARS

- 7307 1807 Large Stars, 50/20 XF45 NGC. NGC Census: (37/109). PCGS Population: (47/164). CDN: \$1,220 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. Mintage 750,500.
 - From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24EN, PCGS# 6086 Base PCGS# 6086
- 7308 1807 Small Stars XF40 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (15/46). NGC Census: (0/0). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40.
 - From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24EN, PCGS# 6087 Base PCGS# 6087
- 7309 1807 Capped Bust, Large Stars, O-114, R.3, XF45 NGC. NGC Census: (4/13). PCGS Population: (2/15). XF45. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24EN, PCGS# 39361 Base PCGS# 6088
- 7310 1808/7 AU50 PCGS. PCGS Population: (20/86). NGC Census: (0/0). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU50. From A Small California Cabinet.
 - NGC ID# 24ER, PCGS# 6091 Base PCGS# 6091
- 7311 1809 AU55 PCGS. PCGS Population: (86/103). NGC Census: (42/129). CDN: \$1,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55.
 - From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24ES, PCGS# 6092 Base PCGS# 6092
- 7312 1811 Large 8 AU55 PCGS. PCGS Population: (52/138). NGC Census: (44/237). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 1,203,644. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24EU, PCGS# 6096 Base PCGS# 6096
- 7313 1811 Small 8 MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (27/57 and 1/8+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). CDN: \$2,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. NGC ID# 24EU, PCGS# 6097 Base PCGS# 6097
- 7314 1812/1 Small 8 AU55 PCGS. PCGS Population: (18/35). NGC Census: (5/21). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 1,628,059. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24EY, PCGS# 6101 Base PCGS# 6101
- 7315 1812 Large 8 AU55 PCGS. PCGS Population: (151/295). NGC Census: (70/305). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 1,628,059. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FY, PCGS# 6100
- 7316 1812 Large 8 MS61 NGC. NGC Census: (25/188). PCGS Population: (13/167). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 1,628,059. NGC ID# 24FY, PCGS# 6100

- 7317 1814 O-103, R.1, AU58 NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (12/8). PCGS Population: (4/3). AU58. NGC ID# 24F3, PCGS# 39477 Base PCGS# 6105
- 7318 1814 O-109, R.2, AU58 NGC. Ex: Skidaway Island Collection. NGC Census: (4/2). PCGS Population: (0/4). AU58. Mintage 1,000,000. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24F3, PCGS# 39486 Base

PCGS# 6105

- 7319 1814 E Over A in STATES XF40 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (27/42). NGC Census: (0/0). CDN: \$1,050 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40.
 - From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24F3, PCGS# 6107 Base PCGS# 6107
- 7320 1817 AU55 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (71/116). NGC Census: (25/117). CDN: \$1,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 1,215,567. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24F6, PCGS# 6109 Base PCGS# 6109
- 7321 1818/7 Large 8 AU55 PCGS. PCGS Population: (26/40). NGC Census: (0/0). CDN: \$1,550 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FA, PCGS# 6115 Base
- PCGS# 6115 7322 1818/7 Small 8 AU55 PCGS. PCGS
- Population: (26/30). NGC Census: (8/66). CDN: \$1,450 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 1,960,322. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FA, PCGS# 6114 Base PCGS# 6114
- 7323 1820/19 Square Base 2 AU55 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (12/25). NGC Census: (15/30). CDN: \$1,450 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 751,122.
 - From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FE, PCGS# 6125 Base PCGS# 6125
- 7324 1820/19 Square Base 2, O-101, R.2, AU50 PCGS. PCGS Population: (3/7). NGC Census: (3/14). AU50. Mintage 751,122.
 - From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FE, PCGS# 39572 Base PCGS# 6125
- 7325 1820 Square Base 2, Large Date, Knob 2 AU55 PCGS. PCGS Population: (17/33). NGC Census: (0/0). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55.
 - From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FD, PCGS# 6122 Base PCGS# 6122
- 7326 1820 Square Base 2, Large Date, Knob, O-104, High R.4, XF45 PCGS. PCGS Population: (5/8). NGC Census: (2/7). XF45
 - From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FD, PCGS# 39565 Base PCGS# 6122

- 7327 1820 Square 2, Large Date, No Knob, AU53 PCGS. PCGS Population: (28/55 and 0/2+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,050 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU53.
 - From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FD, PCGS# 6123 Base PCGS# 6123
- 7328 1820 Square 2, Large Date, No Knob, AU55 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (27/28). NGC Census: (0/0). CDN: \$1,550 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FD, PCGS# 6123 Base PCGS# 6123
- 7329 1821 AU58 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (112/103). NGC Census: (73/87). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 1,305,797. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FF, PCGS# 6128 Base PCGS# 6128
- 7330 1821 O-106a, R.2, AU58 PCGS. PCGS Population: (2/1 and 1/0+). NGC Census: (3/1 and 0/0+). AU58. Mintage 1,305,797.
 - From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FF, PCGS# 39585 Base PCGS# 6128





7331 1823 MS61 PCGS. PCGS Population: (28/179). NGC Census: (25/130). CDN: \$1,350 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 1,694,200.
From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FJ, PCGS# 6131 Base

PCGS# 6131

7332 1824 O-108a, R.2, AU55+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (4/3 and 1/0+). NGC Census: (1/4 and 0/0+). AU55. Mintage 3,504,954. From The Spring Creek Collection, Part III. NGC ID# 24FK, PCGS# 39630 Base PCGS# 6137

- 7333 1824/4 AU55 PCGS. CAC. PCGS
 Population: (43/49 and 0/16+). NGC
 Census: (11/29 and 0/1+). CDN: \$1,000
 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55.
 From The Spring Creek Collection,
 Part III. NGC ID# 24FK, PCGS# 6140
 Base PCGS# 6140
- 7334 1824/4 AU58 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (20/29). NGC Census: (9/20). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FK, PCGS# 6140 Base PCGS# 6140
- 7335 1825 MS61 PCGS. PCGS Population: (14/247). NGC Census: (40/232). MS61. Mintage 2,900,000. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FL, PCGS# 6142 Base PCGS# 6142
- 7336 1825 MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (69/107). NGC Census: (69/85). MS63. Mintage 2,900,000. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FL, PCGS# 6142 Base PCGS# 6142
- 7337 1827/6 O-101, R.2, MS60 NGC. NGC Census: (1/5). PCGS Population: (0/4). MS60. Mintage 5,493,400. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FP, PCGS# 39751 Base PCGS# 6147
- 7338 1827 Square Base 2 MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (125/208). NGC Census: (97/156). CDN: \$1,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 5,493,400.

 From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FN, PCGS# 6144 Base PCGS# 6144
- 7339 1827 Square Base 2, O-112a, R.4, MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1/1 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). MS62. Mintage 5,493,400. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FN, PCGS# 39706 Base PCGS# 6144
- 7340 1827 Square Base 2, O-144, High R.5, VF25 PCGS. PCGS Population: (3/9). NGC Census: (1/4). VF25. Mintage 5,493,400. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 4846, PCGS# 39744 Base PCGS# 6144
- 7341 1827 Curl Base 2 AU58 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (16/10). NGC Census: (0/0). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58.

 From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FN, PCGS# 6145 Base PCGS# 6145
- 7342 1828 Curl Base 2, No Knob MS62 NGC. NGC Census: (68/128). PCGS Population: (45/75). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 3,075,200. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FR, PCGS# 6148

- 7343 1828 Square Base 2, Small 8s, Large Letters, MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (34/77 and 0/5+). NGC Census: (0/1 and 0/0+). MS62. NGC ID# 24FR, PCGS# 6151 Base PCGS# 6151
- 7344 1828 Square Base 2, Small 8s, Large Letters, O-110, R.2, MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1/1 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). MS63. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FR, PCGS# 39764 Base PCGS# 6151
- 7345 1829 MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (72/55). NGC Census: (52/63). MS63. Mintage 3,712,156. NGC ID# 24FS, PCGS# 6154 Base PCGS# 6154
- 7346 1830 Large 0 MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (25/54). NGC Census: (0/0). MS62. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FU, PCGS# 6157 Base PCGS# 6157
- 7347 1832 Large Letters MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (9/10 and 1/0+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. NGC ID# 24FW, PCGS# 6161 Base PCGS# 6161
- 7348 1833 MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (124/202). NGC Census: (99/172). MS62. Mintage 5,206,000. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FX, PCGS# 6163 Base PCGS# 6163
- 7349 1833 O-106, R.2, MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (2/1). NGC Census: (1/3). MS62. Mintage 5,206,000. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24FX, PCGS# 39894 Base PCGS# 6163
- 7350 1835 MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (35/12). PCGS Population: (34/3). MS64. Mintage 5,352,006. NGC ID# 24FZ, PCGS# 6168 Base PCGS# 6168
- 7351 1836 Lettered Edge MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (86/134). NGC Census: (84/148). MS62. Mintage 6,545,000. From A Small California Cabinet. NGC ID# 24G2, PCGS# 6169 Base PCGS# 6169

REEDED EDGE HALF DOLLARS

- 7352 1836 Reeded Edge VG8 PCGS. PCGS Population: (3/380 and 0/1+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS VG8. Mintage 1,200. NGC ID# 24G2, PCGS# 6175
- 7353 1837 MS62 NGC. NGC Census: (137/253). PCGS Population: (140/237). MS62. Mintage 3,629,820. NGC ID# 24G4, PCGS# 6176

- 7354 1837 MS62 NGC. NGC Census: (137/253). PCGS Population: (140/237). MS62. Mintage 3,629,820. NGC ID# 24G4, PCGS# 6176
- 7355 1838 GR-10, R.3, MS61 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1/1). NGC Census: (0/0). MS61. Mintage 3,546,000. NGC ID# 24G5, PCGS# 531091 Base PCGS# 6177
- 7356 1839-O Cleaned NGC Details. Unc. Mintage 116,000.

SEATED HALF DOLLARS

- 7357 1839 Drapery AU58+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (22/49 and 1/2+). NGC Census: (19/54 and 0/0+). CDN: \$825 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 1,972,400. From The Spring Creek Collection, Part III. NGC ID# 24GL, PCGS# 6232
- 7358 1842-O Small Date, Small Letters, VF20 PCGS. PCGS Population: (7/53 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (4/25 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS VF20. NGC ID# 24GV, PCGS# 6238
- 7359 1852 XF40 PCGS. PCGS Population: (10/99 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (1/69 and 0/1+). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40. Mintage 77,130. From The Spring Creek Collection, Part III. NGC ID# 24HL, PCGS# 6268 Base PCGS# 6268
- 7360 1853-O Arrows and Rays AU53 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (27/67 and 0/1+). NGC Census: (14/83 and 0/0+). CDN: \$850 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS AU53. Mintage 1,328,000. From The Spring Creek Collection, Part III. NGC ID# 24JK, PCGS# 6276 Base PCGS# 6276





7361 1854 Arrows MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (33/12). PCGS Population: (36/14). MS64. Mintage 2,982,000. NGC ID# 24JL, PCGS# 6279 Base PCGS# 6279

- 7362 1858-O WB-103, Die Pair 12, R.3, MS64 NGC. Early-to-middle die state. Widely repunched 1. Tripled 8 northwest and east. NGC Census: (20/5). PCGS Population: (18/3). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 7,294,000. From The Dick Osburn Collection.
 - PCGS# 572118 Base PCGS# 6294
- 7363 1861-O C.S.A. Obverse Graffiti — PCGS Genuine. VF Details. PCGS Population: (2/59). NGC Census: (0/28). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS VF20.
- 7364 1861-O AU53 PCGS. PCGS Population: (31/235). NGC Census: (26/169). CDN: \$475 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU53. Mintage 2,532,633. NGC ID# CLVG, PCGS# 6303 Base PCGS# 6303
- 7365 1861-S MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (12/21). NGC Census: (8/24). CDN: \$1,450 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 939,500. NGC ID# 24J5, PCGS# 6306 Base PCGS# 6306
- 7366 1864 WB-101 MS63 ANACS. Frosted and lustrous, with light, pale-orange toning at the margins. Housed in an early generation ANACS holder. Mintage 379,100.

 From The Dick Osburn Collection.
 - From The Dick Osburn Collection. PCGS# 572158 Base PCGS# 6311
- 7367 1865 Repunched Date, WB-104, MS62 PCGS. Repunching visible at 1 and 8 of the date. Scarce Civil War issue, lightly toned and sharply struck. Mintage 511,400. From The Dick Osburn Collection.
 - From The Dick Osburn Collection. NGC ID# CS5F, PCGS# 572166 Base PCGS# 6313
- 7368 1866-S No Motto VF30 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (24/76 and 0/1+). NGC Census: (9/31 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS VF30. Mintage 60,000. NGC ID# 24JH, PCGS# 6315 Base PCGS# 6315
- 7369 1866 Motto, Misplaced Date, FS-301, MS63 NGC. Ex: Dick Osburn Collection. Interesting Cherrypickers' variety, with multiple Misplaced Digits in the rock support, as well as an errant 1 that extends from Liberty's hand. Sharply struck, frosted surfaces. Mintage (all varieties) 744,900. From The Dick Osburn Collection.
 - From The Dick Osburn Collection. PCGS# 413729 Base PCGS# 6319
- 7370 1867 WB-101 MS63 PCGS. Frosted Select Uncirculated surfaces, light-gold and iridescent toning. PCGS Population (all varieties): (11/20). NGC Census: (5/8). MS63. Mintage 449,300. From The Dick Osburn Collection. PCGS# 572177 Base PCGS# 6321
- 7371 1870 Repunched Date, WB-102, Breen 4950 MS63 ANACS. The base of 1 is recut, a scarce Cherrypickers' variety. Housed in an early generation ANACS holder. Mintage 633,900. From The Dick Osburn Collection. PCGS# 572189 Base PCGS# 6327

- 7372 1873 No Arrows, Open 3 Fair 2 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (1/40 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (1/12 and 0/0+). Mintage 214,200.

 From The McDonald Family Collection. NGC ID# 24L7, PCGS# 6337 Base PCGS# 6337
- 7373 1883 MS61 PCGS. PCGS Population: (11/90). NGC Census: (3/52). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 8,000. NGC ID# 24KW, PCGS# 6365 Base PCGS# 6365
- 7374 1887 WB-101 AU58 PCGS. Dappled multicolor toning, semireflective surfaces. PCGS Population: (7/107). NGC Census: (9/73). AU58. Mintage 5.000.
 - From The Dick Osburn Collection. NGC ID# 24L2, PCGS# 572272 Base PCGS# 6369
- 7375 1888 WB-101 MS62 PCGS. Amberorange border toning around frosted, silver centers. Sharply struck. PCGS Population: (16/113). NGC Census: (8/78). Mintage 12,001.
 - From The Dick Osburn Collection. NGC ID# 24L3, PCGS# 572273 Base PCGS# 6370

PROOF SEATED HALF DOLLARS

- 7376 1859 PR63 NGC. NGC Census: (34/54). PCGS Population: (39/55). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR63. Mintage 800. From The Dick Osburn Collection. NGC ID# 27TJ, PCGS# 6413
- 7377 1862 PR64 NGC. NGC Census: (61/30). PCGS Population: (50/20). PR64. Mintage 550. NGC ID# 27TN, PCGS# 6416
- 7378 1873 Arrows PR63 NGC. NGC Census: (34/62). PCGS Population: (49/57). PR63. Mintage 550. NGC ID# 27UU, PCGS# 6434
- 7379 1875 PR64 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (57/36). NGC Census: (38/40). PR64. Mintage 700. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 27U9, PCGS# 6436
- 7380 1876 PR64 Cameo PCGS. PCGS Population: (14/11). NGC Census: (14/17). PR64. NGC ID# 27UA, PCGS# 86437 Base PCGS# 86437
- 7381 1882 PR64 Deep Cameo PCGS. Type Two Reverse. An unlisted Repunched Date ("WB-103") Choice proof, without any Misplaced Digits in the dentils as often seen for the issue, but with a clear tine extending left from the base of 1 in the date. Glassy fields display strong contrast, a bit of reddish-gold and blue toning at the margins. PCGS Population: (5/12). NGC Census: (0/8). Proof mintage 1,100.

From The Dick Osburn Collection. NGC ID# 27UH, PCGS# 96443

7382 1889 PR65 NGC. NGC Census: (29/22). PCGS Population: (11/12). PR65. Mintage 711. NGC ID# 27UR, PCGS# 6450

BARBER HALF DOLLARS

- 7383 1892-S MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (36/20). NGC Census: (8/16). CDN: \$2,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,029,028. NGC ID# 24LJ, PCGS# 6464
- 7384 1895-S MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (31/16). PCGS Population: (40/15). CDN: \$1,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,108,086. NGC ID# 24LU, PCGS# 6473
- 7385 1899-O AU58 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (19/79 and 1/4+). NGC Census: (7/55 and 0/0+). CDN: \$700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 1,724,000. From The Spring Creek Collection, Part III. NGC ID# 24M7, PCGS# 6484
- 7386 1901-S Slide marks PCGS Genuine. Unc Details. Mintage 847,044.
- 7387 1905 MS64 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (31/22). NGC Census: (12/13). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 662,000. NGC ID# 28PX, PCGS# 6501
- 7388 1905-O MS64 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (36/19). NGC Census: (22/13). CDN: \$1,700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 505,000. NGC ID# 24MS, PCGS# 6502





- 7389 1906-D MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (8/3). PCGS Population: (18/8). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 4,028,000. NGC ID# 24MV, PCGS# 6505
- 7390 1907 MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (31/3). NGC Census: (17/4). MS65. Mintage 2,598,575. NGC ID# 24MY, PCGS# 6508

- 7391 1910 MS64 NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (30/9). PCGS Population: (41/29). CDN: \$1,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 418,000. NGC ID# 24NB, PCGS# 6519
- 7392 1912-D MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (69/17). NGC Census: (27/8). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 2,300,800. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 24NH, PCGS# 6525
- 7393 1914 AU58 PCGS. PCGS Population: (22/128). NGC Census: (10/89). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 124,300. NGC ID# 24NN, PCGS# 6530

PROOF BARBER HALF DOLLARS

- 7394 1894 PR65 NGC. NGC Census: (39/45). PCGS Population: (32/36). PR65. Mintage 972. NGC ID# 24NW, PCGS# 6541
- 7395 1911 PR64 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (61/56). NGC Census: (67/71). PR64. Mintage 543. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 24PF, PCGS# 6558

WALKING LIBERTY HALF DOLLARS

- 7396 1916-D MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (251/78 and 12/3+). NGC Census: (161/43 and 6/4+). CDN: \$1,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,014,400. NGC ID# 24PM, PCGS# 6567 Base PCGS# 6567
- 7397 1916-S MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (182/422). NGC Census: (93/213). CDN: \$2,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 508,000. NGC ID# 24PN, PCGS# 6568
- 7398 1917-D Obverse MS64 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (279/83). NGC Census: (155/56). CDN: \$1,350 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 765,400. NGC ID# 24PR, PCGS# 6570
- 7399 1917-S Reverse Mintmark MS63 NGC. NGC Census: (103/257). PCGS Population: (268/347). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 5,554,000. NGC ID# 24PU, PCGS# 6573
- 7400 1918-D MS62 NGC. NGC Census: (78/319). PCGS Population: (89/562). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 3,853,040. NGC ID# 24PW, PCGS# 6575
- 7401 1918-S MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (476/36 and 54/3+). NGC Census: (234/40 and 12/0+). CDN: \$1,950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 10,282,000. NGC ID# 24PX, PCGS#6576

- 7402 1920 MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (116/19 and 6/4+). NGC Census: (41/5 and 0/1+). CDN: \$2,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 6,372,000. NGC ID# 24R3, PCGS# 6580
- 7403 1920-S MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (51/327). NGC Census: (41/196). CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 4,624,000. NGC ID# 24R5, PCGS# 6582
- 7404 1927-S MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (197/37). PCGS Population: (318/95). CDN: \$2,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 2,392,000. NGC ID# 24RA, PCGS# 6587
- 7405 1928-S MS62 ANACS. Mintage 1,940,000. NGC ID# 24RB, PCGS# 6588
- 7406 1929-S MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (130/31). PCGS Population: (230/62). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,902,000. NGC ID# 24RD, PCGS# 6590
- 7407 1934 MS67+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (170/9 and 17/0+). NGC Census: (99/11 and 3/1+). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 6,964,000. NGC ID# 24RF, PCGS# 6592
- 7408 1934-D MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (193/4). NGC Census: (34/1). CDN: \$960 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 2,361,400. NGC ID# 24RG, PCGS# 6593
- 7409 1935 MS67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (60/2). NGC Census: (29/1). CDN: \$1,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 9,162,000. NGC ID# 24RJ, PCGS# 6595
- 7410 1935-S MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (173/48). PCGS Population: (403/171). CDN: \$1,225 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 3,854,000. NGC ID# 24RL, PCGS# 6597
- 7411 1935-S MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (168/4 and 9/0+). NGC Census: (43/5 and 2/0+). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 3,854,000. NGC ID# 24RL, PCGS# 6597
- 7412 1935-S MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (167/4). NGC Census: (43/5). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 3,854,000. NGC ID# 24RL, PCGS# 6597
- 7413 1936 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (185/3 and 29/0+). NGC Census: (108/13 and 9/0+). CDN: \$625 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 12,617,901. NGC ID# BYGX, PCGS# 6598 Base PCGS# 6598
- 7414 1936-S MS66+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (349/14 and 39/0+). NGC Census: (146/20 and 7/0+). CDN: \$700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 3,884,000. NGC ID# 24RP, PCGS# 6600

- 7415 1937 MS67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (157/7). NGC Census: (79/2). CDN: \$725 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 9,527,728. NGC ID# 256A, PCGS# 6601
- 7416 1937 MS67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (157/7). NGC Census: (79/2). CDN: \$725 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 9,527,728. NGC ID# 256A, PCGS# 6601
- 7417 1937 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (157/7 and 24/0+). NGC Census: (79/2 and 9/0+). CDN: \$725 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 9,527,728. NGC ID# 256A, PCGS# 6601
- 7418 1937-D MS66+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (405/65 and 54/9+). NGC Census: (131/39 and 6/5+). CDN: \$550 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 1,676,000. NGC ID# 24RS, PCGS# 6602
- 7419 1938 MS67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (110/1). NGC Census: (40/1). CDN: \$1,050 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 4,118,152. NGC ID# 24RU, PCGS# 6604
- 7420 1938-D MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (521/53 and 62/6+). NGC Census: (109/21 and 12/3+). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 491,600. NGC ID# 24RV, PCGS# 6605
- 7421 1938-D MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (524/54). NGC Census: (109/23). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 491,600. NGC ID# 24RV, PCGS# 6605
- 7422 1938-D MS66+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (522/53 and 62/6+). NGC Census: (109/23 and 13/3+). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 491,600. NGC ID# 24RV, PCGS# 6605
- 7423 1939-D MS67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (103/2). NGC Census: (74/1). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 4,267,800. NGC ID# 24RX, PCGS# 6607 Base PCGS# 6607
- 7424 1939-D MS67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (103/2). NGC Census: (74/1). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 4,267,800. NGC ID# 24RX, PCGS# 6607 Base PCGS# 6607
- 7425 1940-S MS66+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (483/12 and 110/3+). NGC Census: (153/15 and 2/0+). CDN: \$550 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 4,550,000. NGC ID# 24S2, PCGS# 6610





- 7426 1941 MS68 NGC. NGC Census: (28/0). PCGS Population: (28/0). CDN: \$4,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS68. Mintage 24,207,412. NGC ID# 24S3, PCGS# 6611
- 7427 1941-S MS66+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (719/9 and 124/0+). NGC Census: (192/29 and 11/1+). CDN: \$675 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 8,098,000. NGC ID# 24S5, PCGS# 6613 Base PCGS# 6613
- 7428 1942 MS67+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (364/6 and 55/1+). NGC Census: (370/4 and 5/0+). CDN: \$340 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 47,839,120. NGC ID# 24S6, PCGS# 6614 Base PCGS# 6614
- 7429 1942 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (365/6 and 55/1+). NGC Census: (370/5 and 5/0+). CDN: \$340 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 47,839,120. NGC ID# 24S6, PCGS# 6614 Base PCGS# 6614
- 7430 1942 MS67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (365/6 and 55/1+). NGC Census: (370/5 and 5/0+). CDN: \$340 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 47,839,120. NGC ID# 24S6, PCGS# 6614 Base PCGS# 6614
- 7431 1942-D MS67+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (196/8 and 20/0+). NGC Census: (132/7 and 5/0+). CDN: \$460 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 10,973,800. NGC ID# 24S7, PCGS# 6615
- 7432 1942-D MS67+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (195/8 and 20/0+). NGC Census: (132/7 and 5/0+). CDN: \$460 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 10,973,800. NGC ID# 24S7, PCGS# 6615
- 7433 1942-S MS66+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (569/8 and 95/2+). NGC Census: (175/13 and 6/0+). CDN: \$400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 12,708,000. NGC ID# 24S8, PCGS# 6617

- 7434 1943-D MS67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (378/4 and 24/0+). NGC Census: (302/7 and 15/0+). CDN: \$400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 11,346,000. NGC ID# 24SA, PCGS# 6619
- 7435 1944-S MS66+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (643/10 and 119/0+). NGC Census: (195/8 and 10/1+). CDN: \$300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 8,904,000. NGC ID# 24SE, PCGS# 6623 Base PCGS# 6623
- 7436 1945-D MS67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (228/2 and 30/0+). NGC Census: (212/2 and 14/0+). CDN: \$425 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 9,966,800. NGC ID# 24SG, PCGS# 6625
- 7437 1946-S MS67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (99/0). NGC Census: (77/0). CDN: \$1,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 3,724,000. NGC ID# 24SL, PCGS# 6629
- 7438 1947-D MS67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (68/0 and 11/0+). NGC Census: (57/0 and 7/0+). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 3,900,600. NGC ID# 5ESK, PCGS# 6631

PROOF WALKING LIBERTY HALF DOLLAR

7439 1942 PR67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (944/78 and 101/5+). NGC Census: (841/184 and 36/4+). PR67. Mintage 21,120. NGC ID# 282G, PCGS# 6642

FRANKLIN HALF DOLLARS

- 7440 1956 MS67 Full Bell Lines NGC. NGC Census: (10/0). PCGS Population: (53/0). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. NGC ID# 6L33, PCGS# 86671
- 7441 1959 MS67 NGC. NGC Census: (4/1). PCGS Population: (3/0). MS67. Mintage 6,200,000. NGC ID# 24TJ, PCGS# 6676
- 7442 1963 MS65 Full Bell Lines PCGS. PCGS Population: (200/7 and 10/1+). NGC Census: (42/2 and 0/1+). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. NGC ID# 24TT, PCGS# 86684

PROOF FRANKLIN HALF DOLLARS

- 7443 1951 PR67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (248/8 and 12/0+). NGC Census: (439/38 and 10/0+). CDN: \$1,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR67. Mintage 57,500. NGC ID# 27VB, PCGS# 6692
- 7444 1957 PR69 Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (51/0). PCGS Population: (1/0). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR69. NGC ID# 24TX, PCGS# 86698

7445 1961 PR68 Deep Cameo PCGS. PCGS Population: (103/2). NGC Census: (86/14). PR68. NGC ID# 24TZ, PCGS# 96702

EARLY DOLLARS

- 7446 1795 Flowing Hair, Three Leaves Repaired NGC Details. VF. Mintage 160,295.
- 7447 1795 Draped Bust, Centered Graffiti PCGS Genuine. Fine Details. Mintage 42,738.
- 7448 1795 B-14, BB-51, R.2 Draped Bust, Off Center — Plugged — PCGS Genuine. VF Details. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7449 1796 Small Date, Large Letters, B-4, BB-61, R.3, — Cleaned — NGC Details. VG.
- 7450 1797 B-1, BB-73, R.3 9x7 Stars, Large Letters — Plugged — PCGS Genuine. VF Details. Mintage (all varieties) 7,776. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7451 1798 Large Eagle, Pointed 9 VF20 PCGS. PCGS Population: (208/1507). NGC Census: (64/848). VF20. Mintage 327,536. NGC ID# 24X6, PCGS# 6873
- 7452 1798 Large Eagle, Pointed 9 VF25 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (222/1285). NGC Census: (101/747). VF25. Mintage 327,536. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 24X6, PCGS# 6873
- 7453 1798 Large Eagle, Pointed 9 VF30 PCGS. PCGS Population: (305/980). NGC Census: (121/626). VF30. Mintage 327,536. NGC ID# 24X6, PCGS# 6873
- 7454 1798 Large Eagle, Pointed 9 Improperly Cleaned — NGC Details. XF. Mintage 327,536.
- 7455 1798 B-1, BB-82, R.3 Small Eagle, 13 Stars — Repaired — PCGS Genuine. VF Details. Mintage (all 1798 varieties) 327,536. From The McDonald Family Collection.





- 7456 1798 Large Eagle, Pointed 9, Wide Date, B-22, BB-104, R.4, — Obverse Graffiti — NGC Details. AU
- 7457 1798 B-24, BB-124, R.2 Large Eagle, Pointed 9 — Streak Removed — PCGS Genuine. XF Details. Mintage (all 1798 varieties) 327,536. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7458 1799 7x6 Stars VF30 PCGS. PCGS Population: (457/1560). NGC Census: (194/932). VF30. Mintage 423,515. NGC ID# 24X7, PCGS# 6878
- 7459 1799 7x6 Stars VF35 PCGS. PCGS Population: (401/1159). NGC Census: (142/790). VF35. Mintage 423,515. NGC ID# 24X7, PCGS# 6878
- 7460 1799 7x6 Stars, B-11, BB-161, R.3, — Obverse Scratched — NGC Details. VF
- 7461 1799 7x6 Stars, B-10, BB-163, R.2, VF35 NGC. NGC Census: (7/17). PCGS Population: (2/9). VF35. NGC ID# 24X7, PCGS# 40054 Base PCGS# 6878
- 7462 1799 7x6 Stars, B-21, BB-169, R.3, VF20 NGC. NGC Census: (2/17). PCGS Population: (1/11). VF20. NGC ID# 24X7, PCGS# 40060 Base PCGS# 6878
- 7463 1800 VF20 NGC. NGC Census: (44/573). PCGS Population: (101/890). VF20. Mintage 220,920. NGC ID# 24X9, PCGS# 6887
- 7464 1800 Graffiti PCGS Genuine. VF Details. PCGS Population: (101/892). NGC Census: (44/574). VF20. Mintage 220,920.
- 7465 1800 VF35 PCGS. PCGS Population: (167/417). NGC Census: (73/365). VF35. Mintage 220,920. NGC ID# 24X9, PCGS# 6887

- 7466 1800 B-13, BB-193, R.3, VF25 NGC. NGC Census: (3/20). PCGS Population: (6/14). VF25. NGC ID# 24X9, PCGS# 40077 Base PCGS# 6887
- 7467 1802 Narrow Date, B-6, BB-241, R.1, VF30 NGC. NGC Census: (8/36). PCGS Population: (2/31). VF30. NGC ID# 24XB, PCGS# 40088 Base PCGS# 6895
- 7468 1803 Large 3, B-6, BB-255, R.2, Fine 12 NGC. NGC Census: (3/60). PCGS Population: (2/33). Fine 12. NGC ID# 24XD, PCGS# 40101 Base PCGS# 6901

SEATED DOLLARS

- 7469 1841 AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (51/52). PCGS Population: (51/62). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 173,000. NGC ID# 24YB, PCGS# 6927
- 7470 1842 OC-4, AU58 NGC. Ex: Osburn-Cushing Reference Collection. OC Die State c/a. NGC Census: (85/85). PCGS Population: (40/97). Obverse die lines above Liberty's left (facing) thumb, struck from polished dies. Several vertical shield lines extend into horizontal lines on the reverse. From The Dick Osburn Collection. NGC ID# 24YC, PCGS# 6928
- 7471 1844 OC-1, R.2, AU55 ANACS. Ex:
 Osburn-Cushing Reference Collection.
 OC Die State c/c. Album-toned, housed in an early generation ANACS holder.
 Mintage 20,000.
 From The Dick Osburn Collection.
 NGC ID# 24YE, PCGS# 6930
- 7472 1845 Rim Damaged NGC Details. Unc. Mintage 24,500.
- 7473 1846-O XF45 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (61/127). NGC Census: (27/108). CDN: \$800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. Mintage 59,000. NGC ID# 26GG, PCGS# 6933
- 7474 1848 XF45 NGC. NGC Census: (24/63). PCGS Population: (39/134). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. Mintage 15,000. NGC ID# 24YK, PCGS# 6935
- 7475 1848 Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 15,000. NGC ID# 24YK, PCGS# 6935
- 7476 1850-O XF40 NGC. NGC Census: (16/94). PCGS Population: (35/116). CDN: \$1,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40. Mintage 40,000. NGC ID# 24YN, PCGS# 6938
- 7477 1854 OC-1, High R.3 Repaired PCGS Genuine. AU Details. Mintage 33,140.
 From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7478 1855 OC-1, High R.3 Repaired PCGS Genuine. XF Details. Mintage 26,000.

 From The McDonald Family Collection.

- 7479 1856 XF40 NGC. NGC Census: (3/46). PCGS Population: (9/115). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40. Mintage 63,500. NGC ID# 24YV, PCGS# 6944
- 7480 1859 XF45 PCGS. PCGS Population: (32/95 and 0/2+). NGC Census: (10/64 and 0/1+). CDN: \$900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. Mintage 255,700. From The Spring Creek Collection, Part III. NGC ID# 24YZ, PCGS# 6946
- 7481 1859-O MS61 NGC. NGC Census: (102/169). PCGS Population: (144/243). MS61. Mintage 360,000. NGC ID# 24YY, PCGS# 6947
- 7482 1859-S OC-2, R.4, XF45 PCGS. Ex:
 Osburn-Cushing Reference Collection.
 OC Die State a/a. Repunched 18 in
 date, 5° clockwise die rotation. Scarcer
 of the two die varieties known for the
 issue. PCGS Population: (45/86). NGC
 Census: (22/81). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle.
 Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. Mintage
 20,000.

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- 7483 1860-O AU58 PCGS. PCGS Population: (92/810). NGC Census: (112/474). AU58. Mintage 515,000. NGC ID# 24Z3, PCGS# 6950
- 7484 1860-O MS62 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (243/121). NGC Census: (160/89). MS62. Mintage 515,000. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 24Z3, PCGS# 6950
- 7485 1863 XF45 PCGS. PCGS Population: (23/100 and 0/2+). NGC Census: (7/63 and 0/2+). CDN: \$2,350 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. Mintage 27,200. From The McDonald Family Collection. NGC ID# 24Z6, PCGS# 6953
- 7486 1863 Obverse Graffiti NGC Details. AU. Mintage 27,200.
- 7487 1865 OC-2, R.2, XF45 PCGS. Ex:
 Osburn-Cushing Reference Collection.
 OC Die State b/d. PCGS Population:
 (24/101). NGC Census: (9/54). CDN:
 \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS
 XF45. Mintage 46,500.
 From The Dick Osburn Collection.
 NGC ID# 24Z8, PCGS# 6955
- 7488 1869 AU55 PCGS. PCGS Population: (33/67 and 0/2+). NGC Census: (17/59 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,350 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 423,700. From The Spring Creek Collection, Part III. NGC ID# 24ZC, PCGS# 6962

7489 1869 Repunched Date, OC-3, High R.3, FS-302, AU55 NGC. Ex: Osburn-Cushing Reference Collection. OC Die State b/d. A Top 30 Variety, as well as a *Cherrypickers*' Repunched Date variety. The flag of a repunched 1 is seen midway between 1 and 8. Die doubling on the reverse is most visible at the motto. NGC Census: (0/0). PCGS Population: (0/0). AU55. Mintage (all varieties) 423,700.

From The Dick Osburn Collection. NGC ID# 24ZC, PCGS# 416932 Base PCGS# 6962

7490 1872 Breen - 5491, OC-3, R.1, AU58 ANACS. Ex: Osburn-Cushing Reference Collection. OC Die State a/a. A Top-30 Variety. Misplaced 1 and 2 in the rock base. Doubled reverse motto. Housed in an early generation ANACS holder. Mintage 1,106,450.

From The Dick Osburn Collection. NGC ID# 24ZJ, PCGS# 6968





- 7491 1872 Stained NGC Details. Proof. Mintage 1,106,450.
- 7492 1872-CCOC-1, High R.3 Cleaned — PCGS Genuine. Fine Details. Mintage 3,150. From The McDonald Family Collection.
- 7493 1872-S XF40 PCGS. PCGS Population: (40/116). NGC Census: (8/78). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40. Mintage 9,000. NGC ID# 24ZL, PCGS# 6970
- 7494 1872-S XF40 NGC. NGC Census: (9/79). PCGS Population: (41/116). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40. Mintage 9,000. NGC ID# 24ZL, PCGS# 6970

PROOF SEATED DOLLARS

- 7495 1866 OC-P2, R.3, Motto PR55 PCGS. Ex: Osburn-Cushing Reference Collection. OC Die State a/a. Briefly circulated With Motto proof. PCGS Population: (6/239). NGC Census: (1/158). PR55. Mintage 725.

 From The Dick Osburn Collection. NGC ID# 5GDV, PCGS# 7014
- 7496 1868 OC-P1, R.4, PR61 PCGS. Ex:
 Osburn-Cushing Reference Collection.
 OC Die State a/a. A Top 30 Variety, with
 misplaced digits 1 and 8 visible on the
 rim. PCGS Population (all varieties):
 (31/201). NGC Census: (8/155). PR61.
 Mintage 600.
 From The Dick Osburn Collection.
 NGC ID# 252P, PCGS# 7016
- 7497 1870 PR61 NGC. NGC Census: (15/141). PCGS Population: (28/187). PR61. Mintage 1,000. NGC ID# 252S, PCGS# 7018
- 7498 1871 OC-P2, Low R.5, PR55 NGC. Ex: Osburn-Cushing Reference Collection. OC Die State a/a. The rarest of two proof die varieties. NGC Census: (2/156). PCGS Population: (4/241). PR55. Mintage 960.

 From The Dick Osburn Collection. NGC ID# 252T, PCGS# 7019

TRADE DOLLARS

- 7499 1873-CC XF45 PCGS. PCGS Population: (48/164). NGC Census: (9/110). CDN: \$1,700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. Mintage 124,500. NGC ID# 252X, PCGS# 7032
- 7500 1875-S MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (170/38). PCGS Population: (211/37). MS64. Mintage 4,487,000. NGC ID# 2536, PCGS# 7039
- 7501 1875-S MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (211/37). NGC Census: (170/38). MS64. Mintage 4,487,000. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 2536, PCGS# 7039
- 7502 1876 MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (130/34). NGC Census: (106/20). MS64. Mintage 455,000. NGC ID# 2539, PCGS# 7041
- 7503 1876-CC Doubled Die Reverse AU53 NGC. NGC Census: (4/22). PCGS Population: (3/20). CDN: \$2,070 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU53. NGC ID# 253A, PCGS# 97042 Base PCGS# 7042
- 7504 1876-S MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (110/9). NGC Census: (90/22). MS64. Mintage 5,227,000. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# 253B, PCGS# 7043

PROOF TRADE DOLLAR

7505 1880 PR64 ANACS. Mintage 1,987. NGC ID# 27YS, PCGS# 7060

MORGAN DOLLAR

- 7506 1878 7/8TF Strong MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (389/38 and 35/1+). NGC Census: (98/6 and 5/0+). CDN: \$1,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 544,000. NGC ID# 2TY3, PCGS# 7078
- 7507 1878 7TF Reverse of 1878 MS65 Prooflike PCGS. PCGS Population: (44/18). NGC Census: (24/4). CDN: \$1,350 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 4,900,000. NGC ID# 253K, PCGS# 7075
- 7508 1878 7TF Reverse of 1878 MS65 Prooflike PCGS. VAM-84, Line Under 8. PCGS Population: (2/1 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). MS65. PCGS# 40249 Base PCGS# 7075
- 7509 1878 7TF Reverse of 1879 MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (442/32). NGC Census: (173/13). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 4,300,000. From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 253L, PCGS# 7076
- 7510 1878 7TF Reverse of 1879 MS64+ Prooflike PCGS. PCGS Population: (44/7 and 4/1+). NGC Census: (23/0 and 1/0+). CDN: \$880 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 4,300,000. NGC ID# 253L, PCGS# 7077
- 7511 1878-CC MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (2228/349 and 84/54+). NGC Census: (1236/204 and 19/6+). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS65. Mintage 2,212,000. NGC ID# 253M, PCGS# 7080
- 7512 1878-CC MS65+ NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (1235/204 and 19/6+). PCGS Population: (2228/349 and 84/54+). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS65. Mintage 2,212,000. NGC ID# 253M, PCGS# 7080
- 7513 1878-S MS66+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (877/37 and 121/3+). NGC Census: (495/33 and 20/1+). CDN: \$500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 9,774,000. NGC ID# 253R, PCGS# 7082
- 7514 1879-CC Capped Die Cleaning PCGS Genuine. AU Details.
- 7515 1879-O MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (487/33). NGC Census: (141/10). CDN: \$2,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 2,887,000. NGC ID# 253X, PCGS# 7090
- 7516 1879-S Reverse of 1878 MS63 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (916/632). NGC Census: (444/268). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 9,110,000.

From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 253W, PCGS# 7094

- 7517 1880 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (213/0 and 33/0+). NGC Census: (43/0 and 3/0+). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 12,601,355. NGC ID# 253Y, PCGS# 7096
- 7518 1880-CC MS66 NGC. NGC Census: (466/26). PCGS Population: (893/35). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 591,000. NGC ID# 2542, PCGS# 7100
- 7519 1880-CC MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (894/35). NGC Census: (466/26). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 591,000. NGC ID# 2542, PCGS# 7100





- 7520 1880-S MS67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (2420/249). NGC Census: (3269/302). MS67. Mintage 8,900,000. NGC ID# 2544, PCGS# 7118
- 7521 1880-S MS66 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (222/30 and 6/1+). NGC Census: (104/18 and 1/0+). MS66. NGC ID# 2544, PCGS# 97119
- 7522 1881 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (230/5 and 42/1+). NGC Census: (53/2 and 4/0+). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 9,163,975. NGC ID# 2546, PCGS# 7124
- 7523 1881 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (230/5 and 43/1+). NGC Census: (53/2 and 4/0+). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 9,163,975. NGC ID# 2546, PCGS# 7124
- 7524 1881 MS66+ ★ NGC. NGC Census: (53/2 and 3/0*+). PCGS Population: (230/5 and 1/0* and 41/1+). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 9,163,975. NGC ID# 2546, PCGS# 7124
- 7525 1881 MS66+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (230/5 and 42/1+). NGC Census: (53/2 and 4/0+). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 9,163,975. NGC ID# 2546, PCGS# 7124

- 7526 1881-CC MS64 Deep Mirror Prooflike NGC. NGC Census: (211/75). PCGS Population: (480/299). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. NGC ID# 2547, PCGS# 97127
- 7527 1881-CC MS64 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (480/299). NGC Census: (211/75). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. NGC ID# 2547, PCGS# 97127
- 7528 1881-S MS65+ PCGS and 1881-S MS66+ PCGS. Both coins exhibit colorful rainbow toning. (Total: 2 coins) NGC ID# 2549, PCGS# 7130
- 7529 1881-S MS67+ NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (4286/292 and 138/10+). PCGS Population: (2473/185 and 316/21+). MS67. Mintage 12,760,000. NGC ID# 2549, PCGS# 7130
- 7530 1883-O MS67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (91/1 and 14/0+). NGC Census: (42/0 and 1/0+). CDN: \$2,700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 8,725,000. NGC ID# 254J, PCGS# 7146
- 7531 1883-S MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1008/1438). NGC Census: (645/696). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 6,250,000. NGC ID# 254K, PCGS# 7148
- 7532 1884-S AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (1850/447). PCGS Population: (1388/338). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 3,200,000. NGC ID# 254P, PCGS# 7156
- 7533 1885 MS67 NGC. NGC Census: (208/8). PCGS Population: (186/3). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 17,787,768. NGC ID# 254R, PCGS# 7158
- 7534 1885 MS67 NGC. NGC Census: (208/8). PCGS Population: (186/3). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 17,787,768. NGC ID# 254R, PCGS# 7158
- 7535 1885 MS67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (186/3 and 31/1+). NGC Census: (208/8 and 6/0+). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 17,787,768. NGC ID# 254R, PCGS# 7158
- 7536 1885 MS66 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. PCGS Population: (102/1 and 10/0+). NGC Census: (52/6 and 2/0+). CDN: \$1,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. NGC ID# 45WM, PCGS# 97159
- 7537 1885-CC MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1280/105 and 220/7+). NGC Census: (679/103 and 60/2+). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS66. Mintage 228,000. NGC ID# 254S, PCGS# 7160

- 7538 1885-CC MS66+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (1278/105 and 219/7+). NGC Census: (679/102 and 57/2+). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS66. Mintage 228,000. NGC ID# 254S, PCGS# 7160
- 7539 1885-CC MS65+ Prooflike PCGS. PCGS Population: (165/56 and 8/6+). NGC Census: (84/36 and 1/2+). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. NGC ID# 254S, PCGS# 7161
- 7540 1885-S MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (630/103). NGC Census: (239/12). CDN: \$1,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS M665. Mintage 1,497,000. From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 254U, PCGS#7164
- 7541 1885-S MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (631/103). NGC Census: (239/12). CDN: \$1,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,497,000. NGC ID# 254U, PCGS# 7164
- 7542 1886-O MS62 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (844/933). NGC Census: (563/404). CDN: \$1,350 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 10,710,000. NGC ID# 254W, PCGS# 7168
- 7543 1886-S MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (376/51). NGC Census: (115/17). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 750,000. NGC ID# 254X, PCGS# 7170





- 7544 1887 MS67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (197/1 and 20/0+). NGC Census: (352/5 and 16/0+). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 20,290,710. NGC ID# 27Y3, PCGS# 7172
- 7545 1887/6-O MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (334/137). NGC Census: (15/25). CDN: \$1,450 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63.
 - From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 2553, PCGS# 7178

- 7546 1889-CC VF35 PCGS. PCGS Population: (622/3111). NGC Census: (184/2050). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS VF35. Mintage 350,000. From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 2559, PCGS# 7190
- 7547 1889-CC XF40 PCGS. PCGS Population: (771/2339). NGC Census: (339/1709). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40. Mintage 350,000. NGC ID# 2559, PCGS# 7190
- 7548 1889-CC Cleaned NGC Details. XF. Mintage 350,000. NGC ID# 2559, PCGS# 7190
- 7549 1890 MS65+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (769/5 and 113/0+). NGC Census: (311/9 and 4/0+). CDN: \$650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 16,802,590. NGC ID# 255C, PCGS# 7196
- 7550 1890-CC MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (2399/409). NGC Census: (989/81). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 2,309,041. NGC ID# 255D, PCGS# 7198
- 7551 1890-CC MS64 Prooflike PCGS. PCGS Population: (116/16). NGC Census: (62/6). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. NGC ID# 255D, PCGS# 7199
- 7552 1890-CC MS64 Deep Mirror Prooflike PCGS. PCGS Population: (227/27 and 13/4+). NGC Census: (113/6 and 2/0+). CDN: \$2,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. NGC ID# 45YV, PCGS# 97199
- 7553 1890-O MS65+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (793/29 and 80/2+). NGC Census: (205/2 and 3/0+). CDN: \$900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 10,701,000. NGC ID# 255E, PCGS# 7200
- 7554 1891 MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (239/3). NGC Census: (107/4). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 8,694,206. NGC ID# 255G, PCGS# 7204
- 7555 1891 MS64 Prooflike PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (21/0). NGC Census: (18/0). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. NGC ID# 255G, PCGS# 7205
- 7556 1891-O MS64+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (1729/139 and 156/11+). NGC Census: (1075/71 and 32/1+). CDN: \$500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 7,954,529. NGC ID# 255J, PCGS# 7208
- 7557 1891-S MS65+ NGC. NGC Census: (223/26 and 2/3+). PCGS Population: (558/117 and 21/24+). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 5,296,000. NGC ID# 255K, PCGS# 7210

- 7558 1891-S MS66 NGC. NGC Census: (23/3). PCGS Population: (107/9). CDN: \$2,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 5,296,000. NGC ID# 255K, PCGS# 7210
- 7559 1892 MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (349/10). NGC Census: (100/1). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,037,245. NGC ID# 255L, PCGS# 7212
- 7560 1892-CC Questionable Color PCGS Genuine. Unc Details. Mintage 1,352,000.
- 7561 1892-CC MS63 NGC. NGC Census: (1193/1129). PCGS Population: (2518/2193). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 1,352,000. NGC ID# 255M, PCGS# 7714
- 7562 1892-CC MS63 NGC. NGC Census: (1192/1129). PCGS Population: (2517/2193). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 1,352,000. NGC ID# 255M, PCGS# 7214
- 7563 1892-CC MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (2517/2193). NGC Census: (1192/1129). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 1,352,000. NGC ID# 255M, PCGS# 7214
- 7564 1892-CC MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1739/454 and 119/65+). NGC Census: (944/185 and 30/6+). CDN: \$1,925 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,352,000. NGC ID# 255M, PCGS# 7214
- 7565 1892-CC MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (944/185). PCGS Population: (1739/454). CDN: \$1,925 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,352,000. NGC ID# 255M, PCGS# 7214
- 7566 1892-S AU50 PCGS. PCGS Population: (544/877 and 1/11+). NGC Census: (368/824 and 0/2+). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU50. Mintage 1,200,000. NGC ID# 255P, PCGS# 7218





- 7567 1893 MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1325/266). NGC Census: (653/84). CDN: \$1,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 389,792. From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 255R, PCGS# 7220
- 7568 1893 MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1325/266). NGC Census: (653/84). CDN: \$1,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 389,792. NGC ID# 255R, PCGS# 7220
- 7569 1893-CC AU53 NGC. NGC Census: (65/1815). PCGS Population: (95/3887). CDN: \$2,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU53. Mintage 677,000. NGC ID# 255S, PCGS# 7222
- 7570 1893-S Good 6 NGC. NGC Census: (372/2396). PCGS Population: (673/5517). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS Good 6. Mintage 100,000. NGC ID# 255U, PCGS# 7226
- 7571 1893-S Good 6 PCGS. PCGS Population: (673/5524). NGC Census: (372/2396). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS Good 6 . Mintage 100,000. NGC ID# 255U, PCGS# 7226
- 7572 1893-S Rim Repaired PCGS Genuine. VG Details. Mintage 100,000.
- 7573 1893-S Smoothed PCGS Genuine. Fine Details. Mintage 100,000. From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection.
- 7574 1894-O MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (392/726). NGC Census: (195/418). CDN: \$1,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 1,723,000. NGC ID# 255W, PCGS# 7230
- 7575 1894-O MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (392/726). NGC Census: (195/418). CDN: \$1,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 1,723,000. NGC ID# 255W, PCGS# 7230

- 7576 1894-S MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1294/1153). NGC Census: (592/448). CDN: \$1,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 1,260,000. NGC ID# 255X, PCGS# 7232
- 7577 1894-S MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (963/192 and 62/22+). NGC Census: (403/45 and 12/4+). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,260,000. NGC ID# 255X, PCGS# 7232
- 7578 1895-S XF45 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (309/2014). NGC Census: (163/1178). CDN: \$925 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. Mintage 400,000. NGC ID# 255Z, PCGS# 7238
- 7579 1895-S AU50 PCGS. PCGS Population: (138/1876 and 0/78+). NGC Census: (70/1108 and 0/11+). CDN: \$1,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU50. Mintage 400,000. NGC ID# 255Z, PCGS# 7238
- 7580 1895-S AU53 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (170/1706). NGC Census: (110/998). CDN: \$1,450 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU53. Mintage 400,000. From The Bert Mintz and Helen Mintz-Hittner Collection. NGC ID# 255Z, PCGS# 7238
- 7581 1896-O MS61 PCGS. PCGS Population: (462/1014). NGC Census: (545/576). CDN: \$1,350 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 4,900,000. NGC ID# 27ZU, PCGS# 7242
- 7582 1896-O MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (652/362 and 7/33+). NGC Census: (418/158 and 5/4+). CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 4,900,000. NGC ID# 27ZU, PCGS# 7242
- 7583 1897-O MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (697/376). NGC Census: (419/246). CDN: \$1,350 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 4,004,000. NGC ID# 2565, PCGS# 7248
- 7584 1897-S MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (360/32 and 59/3+). NGC Census: (116/13 and 6/0+). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 5,825,000. NGC ID# 2567, PCGS# 7250
- 7585 1897-S MS65 Deep Prooflike NGC. NGC Census: (37/5). PCGS Population: (44/7). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. NGC ID# 2567, PCGS# 97251
- 7586 1898 MS67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (116/0 and 18/0+). NGC Census: (18/0 and 1/0+). CDN: \$2,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 5,884,735. NGC ID# 2568, PCGS# 7252
- 7587 1900-O/CC MS65 NGC. A Top 100 Variety. NGC Census: (178/11). PCGS Population: (873/124). CDN: \$1,550 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. NGC ID# 256G, PCGS# 7268

- 7588 1900-S MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (125/4). NGC Census: (24/2). CDN: \$1,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 3,540,000. NGC ID# 256H, PCGS# 7270
- 7589 1901-O MS66+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (584/9 and 61/1+). NGC Census: (499/20 and 17/2+). CDN: \$400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 13,320,000. NGC ID# 256K, PCGS# 7274
- 7590 1901-S MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (324/41 and 15/8+). NGC Census: (95/6 and 3/0+). CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 2,284,000. NGC ID# 256L, PCGS# 7276
- 7591 1903-S Micro S, VAM-2, Top 100, XF45 PCGS. PCGS Population: (10/6). NGC Census: (15/17). XF45. NGC ID# 256T, PCGS# 133967 Base PCGS# 7306
- 7592 1904-S AU58 PCGS. PCGS Population: (123/1396 and 0/54+). NGC Census: (109/650 and 0/13+). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS AU58. Mintage 2,304,000. NGC ID# 256W, PCGS# 7294
- 7593 1921 MS66+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (732/18 and 139/0+). NGC Census: (658/11 and 17/1+). CDN: \$375 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 44,690,000. NGC ID# 256X, PCGS# 7296
- 7594 1921-D MS66+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (503/11 and 89/1+). NGC Census: (286/13 and 17/0+). CDN: \$450 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 20,345,000. NGC ID# 256Y, PCGS# 7298

PROOF MORGAN DOLLARS

- 7595 1878 7TF Reverse of 1878 Environmental Damage PCGS Genuine. Unc Details. Mintage 200. NGC ID# 2573, PCGS# 7312
- 7596 1901 PR61 NGC. NGC Census: (20/212). PCGS Population: (25/238). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR61. Mintage 813. NGC ID# 27ZZ, PCGS# 7336

PEACE DOLLARS

- 7597 1921 MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (1199/140). PCGS Population: (1498/192). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,006,473. PCGS# 7356
- 7598 1924-S MS64+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (1415/107 and 163/9+). NGC Census: (879/76 and 50/4+). CDN: \$700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,728,000. NGC ID# 257K, PCGS#7364

7599 1924-S MS64+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (1413/106 and 161/9+). NGC Census: (879/76 and 50/4+). CDN: \$700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,728,000. NGC ID# 257K, PCGS# 7364





- 7600 1925 MS67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (131/1 and 4/0+). NGC Census: (99/1 and 6/0+). MS67. Mintage 10,198,000. NGC ID# 257L, PCGS# 7365
- 7601 1925 MS67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (131/1 and 4/0+). NGC Census: (99/1 and 6/0+). MS67. Mintage 10,198,000. NGC ID# 257L, PCGS# 7365
- 7602 1926-D MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (288/7 and 33/1+). NGC Census: (104/7 and 1/1+). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 2,348,700. NGC ID# 257P, PCGS# 7368
- 7603 1926-S MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (110/2 and 3/0+). NGC Census: (36/0 and 0/0+). CDN: \$2,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 6,980,000. NGC ID# 257R, PCGS# 7369
- 7604 1928-S MS64+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (2068/65 and 284/4+). NGC Census: (1272/41 and 51/0+). CDN: \$750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,632,000. NGC ID# 257W, PCGS# 7374
- 7605 1934-D MS65+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (521/104 and 27/14+). NGC Census: (224/27 and 2/1+). CDN: \$1,060 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,569,500. NGC ID# 257Y, PCGS# 7376
- 7606 1934-S AU58 PCGS. PCGS Population: (641/2222). NGC Census: (498/1302). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 1,011,000. NGC ID# 257Z, PCGS# 7377

- 7607 1935 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (273/0 and 88/0+). NGC Census: (70/4 and 3/1+). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 1,576,000. NGC ID# 2582, PCGS# 7378
- 7608 1935 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (272/0). NGC Census: (71/4). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 1,576,000. NGC ID# 2582, PCGS# 7378
- 7609 1935-S MS66 NGC. NGC Census: (65/3). PCGS Population: (191/3). CDN: \$2,350 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 1,964,000. NGC ID# 2583, PCGS# 7379
- 7610 1935-S MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (191/3 and 26/0+). NGC Census: (65/3 and 0/0+). CDN: \$2,350 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 1,964,000. NGC ID# 2583, PCGS# 7379
- 7611 1935-S MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (190/3). NGC Census: (65/3). CDN: \$2,350 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 1,964,000. NGC ID# 2583, PCGS# 7379

GOLD DOLLARS

- 7612 1849-D Cleaned NGC Details. Unc. Mintage 21,588. NGC ID# 25BD, PCGS# 7507
- 7613 1854-D Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 2,935.
- 7614 1854 Type Two MS61 NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (731/806). PCGS Population: (235/1063). MS61. Mintage 783,943. NGC ID# 25C3, PCGS# 7531
- 7615 1854 Type Two MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (487/574 and 3/20+). NGC Census: (474/332 and 6/9+). MS62. Mintage 783,943. NGC ID# 25C3, PCGS# 7531
- 7616 1855 Type 2 MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (449/651). NGC Census: (451/410). MS62. Mintage 758,269. NGC ID# 25C4, PCGS# 7532
- 7617 1855-C Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 9,803. NGC ID# 25C5, PCGS# 7533
- 7618 1856-S Type Two AU55 NGC. NGC Census: (53/97). PCGS Population: (32/58). CDN: \$2,450 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 24,600. NGC ID# 25C8, PCGS# 7536
- 7619 1857-S AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (34/17). PCGS Population: (9/9). CDN: \$2,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 10,000. NGC ID# 25CG, PCGS# 7547
- 7620 1859-D Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 4,952. NGC ID# 25CN, PCGS# 7553

- 7621 1859-S AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (41/15). PCGS Population: (11/11). CDN: \$1,950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 15,000. NGC ID# 25CP, PCGS# 7554
- 7622 1874 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (77/37 and 10/5+). NGC Census: (49/36 and 0/1+). CDN: \$1,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 198,820. NGC ID# 25DC, PCGS# 7575
- 7623 1876 MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (26/10). PCGS Population: (36/16). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 3,200. NGC ID# 25DE, PCGS# 7577
- 7624 1879 MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (30/38). PCGS Population: (60/57). CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 3,000. NGC ID# 25DH, PCGS# 7580
- 7625 1882 MS64 Prooflike NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (3/7). PCGS Population: (0/0). MS64. Mintage 5,000. NGC ID# 26LA, PCGS# 77583
- 7626 1885 MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (68/48). NGC Census: (55/82). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 11,100. NGC ID# 25DP, PCGS# 7586
- 7627 1885 MS65+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (68/48 and 2/2+). NGC Census: (55/82 and 1/5+). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 11,100. NGC ID# 25DP, PCGS# 7586
- 7628 1889 MS66 NGC. VP-001, DDR. NGC Census: (282/195). PCGS Population: (412/272). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 29,000. NGC ID# 25DU, PCGS# 7590





7629 1889 MS67+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (262/10 and 25/1+). NGC Census: (180/15 and 12/1+). CDN: \$1,750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 29,000. NGC ID# 25DU, PCGS# 7590

CLASSIC QUARTER EAGLES

- 7630 1834 AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (288/298). PCGS Population: (101/212). AU58. Mintage 112,234. NGC ID# 25FS, PCGS# 7692
- 7631 1835 Cleaned PCGS Genuine. Unc Details. Mintage 131,402.

LIBERTY QUARTER EAGLES

- 7632 1840-C Improperly Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 12,822.
- 7633 1842-O AU50 NGC. NGC Census: (16/77). PCGS Population: (7/42). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU50. Mintage 19,800. NGC ID# 25GK, PCGS# 7726
- 7634 1844-C Damaged NCS. AU Details. Mintage 11,622.
- 7635 1845 MS61 NGC. NGC Census: (29/36). PCGS Population: (8/31). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 91,051. NGC ID# 25GW, PCGS# 7737
- 7636 1845-D Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 19,460. NGC ID# 25GX, PCGS# 7738
- 7637 1846-O AU55 NGC. NGC Census: (62/106). PCGS Population: (17/60). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 62,000. NGC ID# 25H4, PCGS# 7743
- 7638 1849-C Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 10,220.
- 7639 1851 MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (48/6). NGC Census: (36/9). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,372,748. NGC ID# 25HL, PCGS# 7759
- 7640 1851-D Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 11,264. NGC ID# 25HN, PCGS# 7761
- 7641 1855-C Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 3,677. NGC ID# 25J5, PCGS# 7775
- 7642 1856-C Improperly Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 7,913.
- 7643 1856-S AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (55/30). PCGS Population: (24/29). CDN: \$2,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 72,120. NGC ID# 25KL, PCGS# 7781
- 7644 1860-C Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 7,469. NGC ID# 25JT, PCGS# 7792
- 7645 1861 New Reverse, Type Two, MS64+ NGC. NGC Census: (124/26 and 5/1+). PCGS Population: (102/50 and 7/2+). CDN: \$1,700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS64. Mintage 1,283,878. NGC ID# 25JX, PCGS# 7794

- 7646 1862 AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (66/66). PCGS Population: (27/45). CDN: \$2,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 98,543. NGC ID# 25]Z, PCGS# 7796
- 7647 1871 MS61 NGC. NGC Census: (17/9). PCGS Population: (8/24). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 5,350. NGC ID# 25KH, PCGS# 7813
- 7648 1889 MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (58/14 and 5/1+). NGC Census: (37/11 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 17,648. NGC ID# 7JTT, PCGS# 7841
- 7649 1891 Doubled Die Reverse, FS-801, MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (8/1 and 1/0+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). MS64. Mintage 10,960. NGC ID# BLFZ, PCGS# 145709 Base PCGS# 7843
- 7650 1898 MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (91/62). NGC Census: (84/76). CDN: \$1,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 24,000. NGC ID# 25LN, PCGS# 7850
- 7651 1899 MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (83/42). NGC Census: (78/40). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 27,200. NGC ID# 25LP, PCGS# 7851





7652 1902 MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (169/55 and 5/5+). NGC Census: (158/69 and 10/1+). MS66. Mintage 133,500. NGC ID# 25LT, PCGS# 7854

INDIAN QUARTER EAGLES

- 7653 1911-D Weak D AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (39/7). PCGS Population: (5/0). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. NGC ID# 2895, PCGS# 7954
- 7654 1911-D Scratched NGC Details. AU. Mintage 55,680.

- 7655 1911-D Removed From Jewelry NGC Details. AU. Mintage 55,680.
- 7656 1911-D Scratched PCGS Genuine. AU Details. Mintage 55,680. NGC ID# 7KR7, PCGS# 7943
- 7657 1926 MS65+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (834/47 and 50/0+). NGC Census: (610/25 and 10/0+). MS65. Mintage 446,000. NGC ID# 7KRE, PCGS# 7950
- 7658 1927 MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (537/24). NGC Census: (433/11). MS65. Mintage 388,000. From The Triplets Collection. NGC ID# BUTL, PCGS# 7951

THREE DOLLAR GOLD PIECES

- 7659 1854 MS61 NGC. NGC Census: (372/476). PCGS Population: (102/614). MS61. Mintage 138,618. NGC ID# 25M3, PCGS# 7969
- 7660 1854 MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (264/350). NGC Census: (269/207). MS62. Mintage 138,618. NGC ID# 25M3, PCGS# 7969
- 7661 1854-O Cleaned PCGS Genuine. AU Details. Mintage 24,000.
- 7662 1855 AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (329/232). PCGS Population: (134/234). CDN: \$1,025 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 50,555. NGC ID# 25M6, PCGS# 7972
- 7663 1861 Repaired PCGS Genuine. Mintage 5,959.
- 7664 1861 Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 5,959. NGC ID# 7K5N, PCGS# 7982
- 7665 1869 Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 2,500.
- 7666 1878 AU58+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (1077/3852 and 6/108+). NGC Census: (1428/3052 and 2/46+). AU58. Mintage 82,304. NGC ID# 25MZ, PCGS# 8000
- 7667 1878 MS62 NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (957/1127). PCGS Population: (1207/2092). MS62. Mintage 82,304. NGC ID# 25MZ, PCGS# 8000
- 7668 1880 Ex-Jewelry ANACS. AU 50 Details. Mintage 1,000.
- 7669 1881 Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 500. NGC ID# 25N4, PCGS# 8003

EARLY HALF EAGLE

7670 1808 — Cleaned — NGC Details. XF. Mintage 55,578. NGC ID# 4U57, PCGS# 8102

CLASSIC HALF EAGLES

- 7671 1834 Plain 4 AU55 NGC. NGC Census: (426/714). PCGS Population: (187/288). AU55. Mintage 657,460. NGC ID# 25RR, PCGS# 8171
- 7672 1834 Crosslet 4 Cleaned NGC Details. XF. Mintage 657,460.
- 7673 1835 AU55 NGC. NGC Census: (150/238). PCGS Population: (59/118). AU55. Mintage 371,534. NGC ID# 25RV, PCGS# 8173

LIBERTY HALF EAGLE

- 7674 1839-C VF20 PCGS. PCGS Population: (4/102). NGC Census: (1/84). CDN: \$2,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS VF20. Mintage 17,205. From The Brookside Collection. NGC ID# 25S8. PCGS# 8192
- **7675 1839-C** Bent NGC Details. XF. Mintage 17,205.
- 7676 1843 MS61 NGC. NGC Census: (38/34). PCGS Population: (22/30). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 611,205. NGC ID# 94FD, PCGS# 8213
- 7677 1844-O AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (136/65). PCGS Population: (30/34). CDN: \$1,875 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 364,600. NGC ID# 25TA, PCGS# 8222
- 7678 1845 MS60 NGC. NGC Census: (8/37). PCGS Population: (2/49). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS60. Mintage 417,099. NGC ID# 25TB, PCGS# 8223
- 7679 1846 Large Date MS61 NGC. NGC Census: (14/20). PCGS Population: (9/14). CDN: \$2,570 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 395,942. NGC ID# 25TF, PCGS# 8226
- 7680 1855-C XF40 PCGS. PCGS Population: (25/102). NGC Census: (16/118). CDN: \$1,975 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40. Mintage 39,788. From The Brookside Collection. NGC ID# 25UR, PCGS# 8262
- 7681 1858-C PCGS Genuine. XF Details. PCGS Population: (30/163). NGC Census: (11/167). CDN: \$2,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40. Mintage 38,856.
- 7682 1859-C XF40 PCGS. PCGS Population: (29/95). NGC Census: (12/141). CDN: \$1,850 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40. Mintage 31,847. NGC ID# 25VC, PCGS# 8281
- 7683 1867-S XF45 NGC. NGC Census: (16/25). PCGS Population: (10/13). CDN: \$3,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. Mintage 29,000. NGC ID# 25W4, PCGS# 8314

- 7684 1881/0 MS62 NGC. NGC Census: (23/11). PCGS Population: (29/21). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 5,708,802. NGC ID# 25XD, PCGS# 8355
- 7685 1881/0 MS63 NGC. NGC Census: (7/4). PCGS Population: (18/3). CDN: \$2,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 5,708,802. NGC ID# 25XD, PCGS# 8355
- 7686 1881-S MS64+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (111/11 and 13/0+). NGC Census: (114/22 and 4/0+). CDN: \$1,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 969,000. NGC ID# 25XF, PCGS# 8357





- 7687 1882 MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (35/2). PCGS Population: (12/1). CDN: \$2,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 2,514,568. NGC ID# 25XJ, PCGS# 8358
- 7688 1885-S MS65 PCGS. PCGS Population: (78/10). NGC Census: (109/12). CDN: \$1,675 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 1,211,500. NGC ID# 2Y7X, PCGS# 8368
- 7689 1890 Cleaned NGC Details. Unc. Mintage 4,240.
- 7690 1891-CC MS62 NGC. NGC Census: (414/237). PCGS Population: (358/234). CDN: \$2,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 208,000. NGC ID# 25Y5, PCGS# 8378
- 7691 1892-CC MS61 PCGS. PCGS Population: (45/66 and 0/2+). NGC Census: (86/57 and 0/1+). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 82,968. NGC ID# 25Y7, PCGS# 8380
- 7692 1901/0-S MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (60/28). PCGS Population: (94/27). CDN: \$1,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 3,648,000. NGC ID# 25YX, PCGS# 8403

- 7693 1905 MS65 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (53/19). NGC Census: (38/22). MS65. Mintage 302,200. NGC ID# 25Z6, PCGS# 8411
- 7694 1906-S MS64+ NGC. NGC Census: (22/11 and 1/0+). PCGS Population: (39/17 and 6/1+). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 598,000. NGC ID# 25ZB, PCGS# 8415

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- 7695 1909-D MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (3209/145). NGC Census: (2784/88). MS64. Mintage 3,423,560. NGC ID# 28DJ, PCGS# 8514
- 7696 1911-D XF45 NGC. NGC Census: (78/1399). PCGS Population: (106/705). CDN: \$1,050 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. Mintage 72,500. NGC ID# 28DR, PCGS# 8521
- 7697 1911-D AU55 NGC. NGC Census: (431/764). PCGS Population: (186/322). CDN: \$2,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 72,500. NGC ID# 28DR, PCGS# 8521
- 7698 1916-S MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (386/366 and 6/37+). NGC Census: (354/149 and 5/9+). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 240,000. NGC ID# 28DY, PCGS# 8532

LIBERTY EAGLES

- 7699 1842-O XF45 NGC. NGC Census: (61/141). PCGS Population: (48/54). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF45. Mintage 27,400. NGC ID# 262N, PCGS# 8587
- 7700 1851-O AU55 PCGS. PCGS Population: (68/39). NGC Census: (232/131). CDN: \$2,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 263,000. NGC ID# 263B, PCGS# 8607
- 7701 1852 SS Republic AU55 NGC. NGC Census: (191/169). PCGS Population: (48/48). AU55. Mintage 263,106. NGC ID# 263C, PCGS# 8608
- 7702 1852 SS Republic AU55 NGC. NGC Census: (191/169). PCGS Population: (48/48). AU55. Mintage 263,106. NGC ID# 263C, PCGS# 8608
- 7703 1854-O Small Date AU53 NGC. NGC Census: (36/93). PCGS Population: (20/25). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU53. Mintage 52,500. NGC ID# 263H, PCGS# 8614
- 7704 1854-S Misplaced Date, FS-301, AU50 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1/0). NGC Census: (0/0). AU50. Mintage 123,826. NGC ID# 384M, PCGS# 145725 Base PCGS# 8615
- 7705 1858-O PCGS Genuine. Mintage 20,000.
- 7706 1858-S Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 11,800.

- 7707 1861 AU55 NGC. NGC Census: (212/269). PCGS Population: (75/96). CDN: \$2,050 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 113,164. NGC ID# 2647, PCGS# 8633
- 7708 1861-S Scratch PCGS Genuine. XF Details. Mintage 15,500.
- 7709 1865 Mount Removed NGC Details. VF. Mintage 3,980.
- 7710 1867 Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 3,140. NGC ID# 264L, PCGS# 8651





- 7711 1880 MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (73/23). NGC Census: (41/13). CDN: \$1,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 1,644,876. NGC ID# 265S, PCGS# 8687
- 7712 1882-O XF40 PCGS. PCGS Population: (23/165). NGC Census: (10/167). CDN: \$1,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS XF40. Mintage 10,820. NGC ID# 55GJ, PCGS# 8697
- 7713 1888-O MS61 NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (270/172). PCGS Population: (148/211). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 21,335. NGC ID# 266L, PCGS# 8713
- 7714 1888-O MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (181/28 and 6/0+). NGC Census: (159/12 and 2/0+). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 21,335. NGC ID# 266L, PCGS# 8713
- 7715 1891 MS63+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (60/4 and 3/0+). NGC Census: (48/2 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 91,868. NGC ID# 266T, PCGS# 8719
- 7716 1891-CC MS62 NGC. NGC Census: (424/99). PCGS Population: (481/98). CDN: \$2,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 103,732. NGC ID# 266U, PCGS# 8720

- 7717 1891-CC/CC FS-501 MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (6/3). NGC Census: (15/8). MS62. NGC ID# 266U, PCGS# 145728 Base PCGS# 8720
- 7718 1899-O AU58 PCGS. PCGS Population: (73/203). NGC Census: (100/118). CDN: \$950.47.Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 37,047. NGC ID# 267K, PCGS# 8743
- 7719 1903-O MS63 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (206/25 and 10/1+). NGC Census: (48/8 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 112,771. NGC ID# 267W, PCGS# 8753

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- 7720 1907 No Motto MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (2328/2788). NGC Census: (2534/2517). MS62. Mintage 239,400. NGC ID# 28GF, PCGS# 8852
- 7721 1907 No Motto MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1585/1202). NGC Census: (1221/1295). MS63. Mintage 239,400. NGC ID# 28GF, PCGS# 8852
- 7722 1908-D No Motto Cleaned NGC Details. Unc. Mintage 210,000.
- 7723 1908-S AU53 NGC. NGC Census: (117/547). PCGS Population: (71/532). CDN: \$1,174.97.Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU53. Mintage 59,850. NGC ID# 28GL, PCGS# 8861
- 7724 1908-S AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (200/161). PCGS Population: (156/259). CDN: \$2,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 59,850. NGC ID# 28GL, PCGS# 8861
- 7725 1911 MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1124/178). NGC Census: (874/204). CDN: \$1,225 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 505,595. NGC ID# 28GT, PCGS# 8868
- 7726 1911 MS64 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (1123/178). NGC Census: (874/203). CDN: \$1,225 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 505,595. NGC ID# 28GT, PCGS# 8868
- 7727 1911 MS64+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (1124/178 and 138/19+). NGC Census: (875/204 and 45/2+). CDN: \$1,225 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS64. Mintage 505,595. NGC ID# 28GT, PCGS# 8868
- 7728 1914-D MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (159/63). PCGS Population: (265/43). CDN: \$2,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 343,500. NGC ID# 28H3, PCGS# 8876
- 7729 1915-S Cleaned ANACS. AU 55 Details. Mintage 59,000. NGC ID# 28H6, PCGS# 8879
- 7730 1916-S MS61 NGC. NGC Census: (214/205). PCGS Population: (131/509). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 138,500. NGC ID# 28H7, PCGS# 8880

- 7731 1916-S MS61 NGC. NGC Census: (214/205). PCGS Population: (131/509). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 138,500. NGC ID# 28H7, PCGS# 8880
- 7732 1916-S MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (310/199). NGC Census: (140/65). CDN: \$2,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 138,500. NGC ID# 28H7, PCGS# 8880
- 7733 1932 MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (2361/156). PCGS Population: (1559/135). MS65. Mintage 4,463,000. NGC ID# 28HB, PCGS# 8884

LIBERTY DOUBLE EAGLES

- 7734 1853 Obverse Cleaned NGC Details. Unc. NGC Census: (14/42). PCGS Population: (8/60). CDN: \$4,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS60. Mintage 1,261,326. NGC ID# 268M, PCGS# 8908
- 7735 1856-S XF45 NGC. NGC Census: (254/849). PCGS Population: (185/540). XF45. Mintage 1,189,750. NGC ID# 2692, PCGS# 8919
- 7736 1858 AU53 PCGS. PCGS Population: (36/111). NGC Census: (68/230). CDN: \$2,400 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU53. Mintage 211,714. NGC ID# 2697, PCGS# 8923
- 7737 1860-S Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 544,950. NGC ID# 269F, PCGS# 8931
- 7738 1860-S Rim Filing NGC Details. Unc. NGC Census: (4/19). PCGS Population: (13/31). CDN: \$6,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS60. Mintage 544,950.
- 7739 1861 AU53 PCGS. EX: Rive d'Or Collection. PCGS Population: (314/1376). NGC Census: (660/2281). AU53. Mintage 2,976,453. NGC ID# 269G, PCGS# 8932
- 7740 1861 AU55 NGC. NGC Census: (974/1306). PCGS Population: (435/940). AU55. Mintage 2,976,453. NGC ID# 269G, PCGS# 8932
- 7741 1861 Rim Damaged PCGS Genuine. Unc Details. Mintage 2,976,453. NGC ID# 269G, PCGS# 8932
- 7742 1861 Obverse Scratched NGC Details. Unc. Mintage 2,976,453.
- 7743 1861-S AU50 NGC. NGC Census: (94/430). PCGS Population: (135/266). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU50. Mintage 768,000. NGC ID# 269K, PCGS# 8935
- 7744 1864-S AU55 PCGS. Ex: Rive d'Or Collection. PCGS Population: (86/144). NGC Census: (188/175). CDN: \$2,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 793,660. NGC ID# 269T, PCGS# 8942





- 7745 1867 MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (53/5). NGC Census: (39/3). CDN: \$5,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 251,065. NGC ID# 269Z, PCGS# 8951
- 7746 1874-CC VF35 NGC. NGC Census: (57/1418). PCGS Population: (85/1032). CDN: \$2,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS VF35. Mintage 115,085. NGC ID# 26AP, PCGS# 8971
- 7747 1874-CC Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 115,085.
- 7748 1876 MS61 NGC. NGC Census: (631/224). PCGS Population: (740/307). CDN: \$1,702.24.Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 583,905. NGC ID# 26AV, PCGS# 8976
- 7749 1876 MS60 Prooflike NGC. NGC Census: (14/21). PCGS Population: (1/2). MS60. PCGS# 88976 Base PCGS# 8976
- 7750 1876-S MS62 NGC. NGC Census: (491/87). PCGS Population: (807/137). MS62. Mintage 1,597,000. NGC ID# 26AX, PCGS# 8978
- 7751 1877-S MS61 PCGS. PCGS Population: (760/413). NGC Census: (971/297). CDN: \$1,752.77. Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 1,735,000. NGC ID# 254B, PCGS# 8984
- 7752 1878-S MS61 PCGS. PCGS Population: (732/230). NGC Census: (570/122). CDN: \$1,702.77.Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 1,739,000. NGC ID# 338K, PCGS# 8987
- 7753 1880 AU53 NGC. NGC Census: (47/292). PCGS Population: (71/227). CDN: \$1,950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU53. Mintage 51,456. NGC ID# 26BA. PCGS# 8992

- 7754 1881-S MS60 PCGS. PCGS Population: (96/726). NGC Census: (90/353). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS60. Mintage 727,000. NGC ID# 26BD, PCGS# 8995
- 7755 1884-S MS62 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (1450/439). NGC Census: (808/124). CDN: \$1,600 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 916,000. NGC ID# 26BL, PCGS# 9002
- 7756 1888 Doubled Die Reverse, FS-801,
 Cleaning PCGS Genuine. AU
 Details. PCGS Population: (0/58).
 NGC Census: (0/0). AU50.
- 7757 1889-CC Cleaned NGC Details. AU. Mintage 30,945.
- 7758 1891-S MS63 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (1023/149). NGC Census: (566/74). CDN: \$1,875 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 1,288,125. NGC ID# 26C4, PCGS# 9018
- 7759 1893-S MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (2376/863). NGC Census: (2191/362). CDN: \$1,558.41.Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 996,175. NGC ID# 26CA, PCGS# 9024
- 7760 1894-S AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (323/5383). PCGS Population: (410/4972). AU58. Mintage 1,048,550. NGC ID# 26CC, PCGS# 9026
- 7761 1895 MS62 Prooflike PCGS. PCGS Population: (2/1). NGC Census: (27/8). MS62. Mintage 1,114,656. PCGS# 89027 Base PCGS# 9027
- 7762 1895-S MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (2918/1441). NGC Census: (2664/1005). CDN: \$1,635.75.Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 1,100,000. NGC ID# 26CE, PCGS# 9028
- 7763 1896 MS62 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (3806/1500 and 88/44+). NGC Census: (4613/1832 and 8/11+). MS62. Mintage 792,500. NGC ID# 26CF, PCGS# 9029
- 7764 1903 MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (3732/3841). NGC Census: (4578/3894). MS63. Mintage 287,200. NGC ID# 26CW, PCGS# 9043
- 7765 1903 MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (3364/480). NGC Census: (3220/675). MS64. Mintage 287,200. NGC ID# 26CW, PCGS# 9043
- 7766 1904 AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (1074/233697). PCGS Population: (2700/191732). AU58. Mintage 6,256,797. NGC ID# 26CY, PCGS# 9045
- 7767 1904 MS62 ★ NGC. NGC Census: (75486/128259 and 53/202*). PCGS Population: (63709/107704 and 53/202*). MS62. Mintage 6,256,797. NGC ID# 26CY, PCGS# 9045

- 7768 1904 MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (36989/5808). NGC Census: (38922/7447). MS64. Mintage 6,256,797. NGC ID# 26CY, PCGS# 9045
- 7769 1904 MS62 Prooflike PCGS. PCGS Population: (14/21). NGC Census: (414/295). PCGS# 89045
- 7770 1904-S MS62 Prooflike NGC. NGC Census: (53/32). PCGS Population: (0/0). MS62. Mintage 5,134,175. NGC ID# 26CZ, PCGS# 79046
- 7771 1905-S MS61 NGC. NGC Census: (652/1270). PCGS Population: (399/1744). MS61. Mintage 1,813,000. NGC ID# 26D3, PCGS# 9048

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- 7772 1907 MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (5364/2984). NGC Census: (2159/829).
 CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 361,667. NGC ID# 26F5, PCGS# 9141
- 7773 1908 No Motto MS65★ NGC. NGC Census: (10601/4843). PCGS Population: (25880/10036). MS65. Mintage 4,271,551. NGC ID# 26F6, PCGS# 9142
- 7774 1908-D No Motto MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1637/304 and 49/8+). NGC Census: (611/50 and 5/1+). CDN: \$1,716.24.Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 663,750. NGC ID# 26F7, PCGS# 9143
- 7775 1909-D AU58 PCGS. PCGS Population: (122/498). NGC Census: (112/294). CDN: \$2,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 52,500. NGC ID# 26FD, PCGS# 9152
- 7776 1909-S MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (2023/399). NGC Census: (1327/224). CDN: \$1,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 2,774,925. NGC ID# 26FE, PCGS# 9153
- 7777 1911-D MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (3006/7114). NGC Census: (3311/6662). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 846,500. NGC ID# 26FK, PCGS# 9158
- 7778 1911-D/D FS-501 MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (109/42). PCGS Population: (159/51). CDN: \$2,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. NGC ID# 26FK, PCGS# 145010 Base PCGS# 9158
- 7779 1924 MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (91528/160435). NGC Census: (113338/149416). MS63. Mintage 4,323,500. NGC ID# 26G7, PCGS# 9177
- 7780 1924 MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (91528/160435). NGC Census: (113338/149416). MS63. Mintage 4,323,500. NGC ID# 26G7, PCGS# 9177

7781 1924 MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (108044/41399). PCGS Population: (100630/59814). MS64. Mintage 4,323,500. NGC ID# 26G7, PCGS# 9177





- 7782 1924 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (9844/112). NGC Census: (5222/205). MS66. Mintage 4,323,500. NGC ID# 26G7, PCGS# 9177
- 7783 1926 Tripled Die Obverse, FS-101, MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (17/6). PCGS Population: (52/18). MS65. NGC ID# 26GD, PCGS# 145744 Base PCGS# 9183
- 7784 1927 MS63 NGC. NGC Census: (44230/78129). PCGS Population: (42419/88688). MS63. Mintage 2,946,750. NGC ID# 26GG, PCGS# 9186
- 7785 1927 MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (42426/88704). NGC Census: (44234/78133). MS63. Mintage 2,946,750. NGC ID# 26GG, PCGS# 9186
- 7786 1927 MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (52365/36339). NGC Census: (54249/23884). MS64. Mintage 2,946,750. NGC ID# 26GG, PCGS# 9186
- 7787 1927 MS65 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (29889/6463). NGC Census: (21150/2735). MS65. Mintage 2,946,750. NGC ID# 26GG, PCGS# 9186
- 7788 1928 MS60 PCGS. PCGS Population: (369/59284). NGC Census: (187/53784). MS60. Mintage 8,816,000. NGC ID# 34VK, PCGS# 9189

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7789 1893 Isabella Quarter MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (257/53 and 46/12+). NGC Census: (138/53 and 4/0+). MS66. Mintage 24,214. NGC ID# BYJ9, PCGS# 9220

- 7790 1921 Alabama MS65+ ★ NGC. NGC Census: (369/93 and 1/0*+). PCGS Population: (499/133 and 5/4* and 19/29+). CDN: \$650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 59,038. NGC ID# BYF2, PCGS# 9224
- 7791 1921 Alabama 2x2 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (155/7 and 18/2+). NGC Census: (83/7 and 6/0+). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 6,006. NGC ID# BYEZ, PCGS# 9225
- 7792 1921 Alabama 2x2 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (155/7). NGC Census: (83/7). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 6,006. NGC ID# BYEZ, PCGS# 9225
- 7793 1921 Alabama 2x2 MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (157/7). NGC Census: (84/7). CDN: \$1,650 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 6,006. NGC ID# BYEZ, PCGS# 9225
- 7794 1937 Antietam MS67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (386/22 and 46/4+). NGC Census: (184/17 and 9/0+). CDN: \$780 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 18,028. NGC ID# BYF4, PCGS# 9229
- 7795 1936-D Boone MS67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (43/0 and 10/0+). NGC Census: (13/1 and 3/0+). CDN: \$800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 5,005. NGC ID# BYFZ, PCGS# 9267
- 7796 1936-D Cincinnati MS67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (59/1 and 13/1+). NGC Census: (34/0 and 5/0+). CDN: \$1,550 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 5,005. NGC ID# BYCK, PCGS# 9284
- 7797 1936 Delaware MS67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (154/5 and 38/1+). NGC Census: (104/5 and 6/0+). MS67. Mintage 20,993. NGC ID# BYGJ, PCGS# 9301
- 7798 1936 Gettysburg MS66+ PCGS. PCGS Population: (828/134 and 39/18+). NGC Census: (343/66 and 8/8+). CDN: \$750 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS MS66. Mintage 26,928. NGC ID# BYGM, PCGS# 9305
- 7799 1922 Grant With Star MS64 NGC. NGC Census: (566/287). PCGS Population: (545/230). CDN: \$1,800 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 4,256. NGC ID# BYPP, PCGS# 9307
- 7800 1928 Hawaiian MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (1124/688). NGC Census: (731/431). CDN: \$1,950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 9,958. NGC ID# BYGR, PCGS# 9309
- 7801 1918 Lincoln MS67+ NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (72/5 and 2/0+). PCGS Population: (122/3 and 28/2+). MS67. Mintage 100,058. NGC ID# BYGU, PCGS# 9320

- 7802 1921 Missouri MS65+ NGC. NGC Census: (292/44 and 14/5+). PCGS Population: (299/56 and 16/5+). CDN: \$1,350 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 15,428. NGC ID# BYH2, PCGS# 9330
- 7803 1925 Norse, Thick Planchet, MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (51/1 and 6/0+). NGC Census: (42/3 and 0/0+). MS66. Mintage 31,750. NGC ID# 2WHM, PCGS# 9450
- 7804 1928 Oregon MS67+ NGC. NGC Census: (86/5 and 8/0+). PCGS Population: (123/6 and 24/0+). CDN: \$475 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 6,028. NGC ID# BYH8, PCGS# 9342
- 7805 1934-D Oregon MS67 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (86/1 and 6/0+). NGC Census: (25/0 and 2/0+). CDN: \$660 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 7,006. NGC ID# BYHA, PCGS# 9344
- 7806 1915-S Panama-Pacific MS65 NGC. NGC Census: (492/286). PCGS Population: (574/425). MS65. Mintage 27,134. NGC ID# BYHP, PCGS# 9357
- 7807 1921 Pilgrim MS67 PCGS. PCGS Population: (51/1 and 11/0+). NGC Census: (27/0 and 1/0+). CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 20,053. NGC ID# BYHS, PCGS# 9360
- 7808 1926 Sesquicentennial MS65+ NGC. NGC Census: (286/22 and 12/3+). PCGS Population: (378/13 and 35/1+). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 141,120. NGC ID# BYJ4, PCGS# 9374
- 7809 1926 Sesquicentennial MS65 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (378/13). NGC Census: (286/22). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS65. Mintage 141,120. NGC ID# BYJ4, PCGS# 9374
- 7810 1935 Spanish Trail MS67+ NGC. CAC. NGC Census: (109/7 and 11/0+). PCGS Population: (178/8 and 29/0+). CDN: \$1,700 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 10,008. NGC ID# BYJ5, PCGS# 9376
- 7811 1936-S Texas MS67+ PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (129/3 and 27/1+). NGC Census: (83/7 and 6/0+). CDN: \$475 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 9,055. NGC ID# BYJG, PCGS# 9388
- 7812 1954-S Washington-Carver MS67 NGC. NGC Census: (13/0). PCGS Population: (8/0). CDN: \$2,250 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 122,024. NGC ID# BYLB, PCGS# 9444





7813 1936 Wisconsin MS68 NGC. NGC Census: (39/1). PCGS Population: (38/0). CDN: \$3,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS68. Mintage 25,015. NGC ID# BYKU, PCGS# 9447

COMMEMORATIVE GOLD

- 7814 1903 Louisiana Purchase, Jefferson MS64 Prooflike PCGS. PCGS Population: (1/1 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). PCGS# 87443
- 7815 1903 Louisiana Purchase, McKinley Gold Dollar MS67 NGC. NGC Census: (122/6). PCGS Population: (128/3). CDN: \$2,000 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS67. Mintage 17,500. NGC ID# BYLE, PCGS# 7444
- 7816 1915-S Panama-Pacific Gold Dollar MS66 PCGS. PCGS Population: (833/80). NGC Census: (520/65). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 15,000. NGC ID# BYLH, PCGS# 7449
- 7817 1915-S Panama-Pacific Gold Dollar MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (833/80). NGC Census: (520/65). CDN: \$1,150 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 15,000. NGC ID# BYLH, PCGS# 7449
- 7818 1917 McKinley Gold Dollar MS66 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (434/85 and 23/17+). NGC Census: (172/48 and 4/0+). MS66. Mintage 10,000. NGC ID# BYLL, PCGS# 7455
- 7819 1922 Grant Gold Dollar, With Star, MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (599/1545). NGC Census: (328/773). CDN: \$1,050 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS64. Mintage 5,016. NGC ID#BYPS, PCGS# 7459
- 7820 1922 Grant Gold Dollar, With Star, MS66 NGC. NGC Census: (318/125). PCGS Population: (686/287). CDN: \$1,450 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 5,016. NGC ID# BYPS, PCGS# 7459

MODERN ISSUE

7821 2000-W Library of Congress Bimetallic Ten Dollar, Thomas Cleveland Art Deco PR70 Deep Cameo PCGS. PCGS Population: (5). NGC Census: (0). Mintage 27,445. PCGS# 675103 Base PCGS# 99784

MODERN BULLION COINS

- 7822 1989 Half-Ounce Gold Eagle MS69 PCGS. PCGS Population: (671/18 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (2806/131 and 0/0+). CDN: \$1,900 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS69. NGC ID# 26NA, PCGS# 9832
- 7823 1995 Silver Eagle MS70 PCGS. PCGS Population: (75). NGC Census: (766). Mintage 4,672,051. NGC ID# 26JN, PCGS# 9886
- 7824 1997-W One-Ounce Platinum Eagle, Statue of Liberty PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (616). PCGS Population: (127). CDN: \$1,950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR70. NGC ID# 293M, PCGS# 9751 Base PCGS# 689425
- 7825 1998-W One-Ounce Platinum Eagle, Statue of Liberty PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (630). PCGS Population: (210). CDN: \$1,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR70. NGC ID# 293N, PCGS# 99768
- 7826 2000-W One-Ounce Platinum Eagle, Statue of Liberty PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (671). PCGS Population: (260). CDN: \$1,275 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS PR70. Mintage 12,453. NGC ID# 293R, PCGS# 99782
- 7827 2004-W One-Ounce American Platinum Eagle, Statue of Liberty PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC. NGC Census: (522). PCGS Population: (183). CDN: \$2,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/ PCGS PR70. NGC ID# 293U, PCGS# 921107
- 7828 2008-W One-Ounce Platinum Eagle, Burnished, MS70 NGC. NGC Census: (877). PCGS Population: (325). CDN: \$3,500 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS 70. Mintage 4,769. NGC ID# BNKP, PCGS# 393084

TERRITORIAL GOLD

7829 (1842-50) A. Bechtler Dollar, 27G. 21C., Plain Edge — Damaged — PCGS Genuine. AU Details. NGC ID# 2B99, PCGS# 10040

CALIFORNIA FRACTIONAL GOLD

7830 1853 Octagonal Liberty, Peacock Reverse, 50 Cents, BG-302, Low R.4, AU58 PCGS. PCGS Population: (27/84). NGC Census: (3/23). NGC ID# 2BJ7, PCGS# 10422

- 7831 1854 Liberty Octagonal 1 Dollar, BG-508, High R.4, MS62 PCGS. PCGS Population: (17/18). NGC Census: (5/3). NGC ID# 2BL5, PCGS# 10485
- 7832 1872 Washington Octagonal 25 Cents, Baker-503, BG-722, Low R.4, MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (39/64). NGC Census: (4/13). NGC ID# 2BN4, PCGS# 10549
- 7833 1881 Indian Octagonal 25 Cents, BG-799O, Low R.4, MS67 Deep Mirror Prooflike NGC. NGC Census: (6/0). PCGS Population: (0/0). NGC ID# 2BS3, PCGS# 910641 Base PCGS# 10641
- 7834 1872 Washington Round 25 Cents, BG-818, Low R.4, MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (36/32). NGC Census: (8/11). NGC ID# 2BT9, PCGS# 10679
- 7835 1875 Indian Octagonal 50 Cents, BG-947, High R.7, MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (5/3). NGC Census: (0/0). NGC ID# 2BXF, PCGS# 10805
- 7836 1872 Indian Octagonal 1 Dollar, BG-1120, Low R.5, MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (10/16). NGC Census: (1/1). NGC ID# 2C3M, PCGS# 10931





- 7837 1873 Indian Octagonal 1 Dollar, BG-1123, High R.4, MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (6/6). NGC Census: (0/0). NGC ID# 2C3R, PCGS# 10934
- 7838 1875 Indian Octagonal 1 Dollar, BG-1125, Low R.5, MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (6/20). NGC Census: (2/0). NGC ID# 2C3T, PCGS# 10936
- 7839 1876/5 Indian Octagonal 1 Dollar, BG-1128, R.5, MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (6/2). NGC Census: (0/0). NGC ID# 2C3W, PCGS# 10939
- 7840 1876/5 Indian Octagonal Dollar, BG-1129, R.4, MS64 PCGS. PCGS Population: (18/2). NGC Census: (1/1). NGC ID# 2C3X, PCGS# 10940

COINS OF HAWAII

- 7841 1847 Hawaii Cent AU58 PCGS. PCGS Population: (84/264 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (53/187 and 0/1+). CDN: \$725 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 100,000. NGC ID# 2C52, PCGS# 10965
- 7842 1847 Hawaii Cent MS61 Brown PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (16/241 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (36/149 and 0/1+). CDN: \$950 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS61. Mintage 100,000. NGC ID# 2C52, PCGS# 10965
- 7843 1847 Hawaii Cent MS62 Brown PCGS. PCGS Population: (78/163 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (70/79 and 0/1+). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS62. Mintage 100,000. NGC ID# 2C52, PCGS# 10965
- 7844 1883 Hawaii Ten Cents MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (34/85). NGC Census: (30/50). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 249,921. NGC ID# 2C54, PCGS# 10979
- 7845 1883 Hawaii Half Dollar MS63 PCGS. PCGS Population: (80/87 and 4/9+). NGC Census: (43/46 and 0/2+). CDN: \$1,100 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS63. Mintage 87,755. NGC ID# 2C5B, PCGS# 10991
- 7846 1883 Hawaii Dollar AU55 PCGS. PCGS Population: (54/153). NGC Census: (67/121). CDN: \$1,300 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU55. Mintage 46,348. NGC ID# 2TGD, PCGS# 10995
- 7847 1883 Hawaii Dollar AU58 NGC. NGC Census: (45/76). PCGS Population: (50/103). CDN: \$1,850 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 46,348. NGC ID# 2TGD, PCGS# 10995
- 7848 1883 Hawaii Dollar AU58 PCGS. PCGS Population: (49/103). NGC Census: (46/76). CDN: \$1,850 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS AU58. Mintage 46,348. NGC ID# 2TGD, PCGS# 10995
- 7849 1883 Hawaii Dollar Harshly Cleaned — PCGS Genuine. Unc Details. Mintage 46,348.
- 7850 1879 T. Hobron, Kahului-Wailuku 12 1/2 Cent Railroad Token, 2/6 Stars XF45 PCGS. PCGS Population: (5/15 and 0/0+). NGC Census: (0/0 and 0/0+). NGC ID# 2UBN, PCGS# 600515

PATTERN

7851 1870 Standard Silver Quarter Dollar, Judd-918, Pollock-1022, Low R.7, PR61 PCGS. CAC. PCGS Population: (1/7). NGC Census: (0/4). NGC ID# 29XS, PCGS#61162

CERTIFIED MODERN PROOF SETS

- 7852 1937 Proof Set PR62 to PR64 NGC. The set includes: Cent PR64 Red; Nickel PR63; Dime PR64; Quarter PR62; Half Dollar PR62. (Total: 5 coins) PCGS# 904751
- 7853 1938 Proof Set. The set includes: Cent PR65 Red PCGS; Nickel PR66 NGC; Dime PR66 PCGS; Quarter PR66 NGC; Half Dollar PR64 PCGS. (Total: 5 coins) PCGS# 904752

ERRORS

- 7854 1978 Eisenhower Dollar Struck on a 22% Defective Planchet, Improperly Bonded Strip — MS63 NGC.
- 7855 No Date Clad Eisenhower Dollar Struck 60% Off Center — MS64 PCGS.
- 7856 1906 Double Eagle Obverse Struck Thru — AU58 NGC. Insert autographed by Coinage Congressman Mike Castle.
- 7857 1924 Double Eagle Obverse Struck Thru — MS65 NGC.
- 7858 1986 One-Ounce Gold Eagle Reverse Struck Through — MS69 NGC.

GSA DOLLARS

- 7859 1878-CC GSA MS64 Prooflike NGC. NGC Census: (74/8). PCGS Population: (10/2). MS64. Mintage 2,212,000. NGC ID# 253M, PCGS# 518846 Base PCGS# 7081
- 7860 1880/79-CC Reverse of 1878, VAM-4, MS65+ Prooflike NGC. A Top 100 Variety. NGC Census: (2/0 and 0/0+). PCGS Population: (0/0 and 0/0+). MS65.
- 7861 1880/79-CC Reverse of 1878, VAM-4, GSA, MS64+ NGC. A Top 100 Variety. NGC Census: (269/75 and 50/23+). PCGS Population: (17/17 and 5/3+). MS64. NGC ID# AP7P, PCGS# 518922 Base PCGS# 407108
- 7862 1881-CC GSA MS66+ NGC. NGC Census: (495/37 and 72/2+). PCGS Population: (56/3 and 26/0+). CDN: \$1,200 Whsle. Bid for NGC/PCGS MS66. Mintage 296,000. NGC ID# 2547, PCGS# 518863 Base PCGS# 7126
- 7863 1891-CC Spitting Eagle, VAM-3, Top 100, MS62 NGC. NGC Census: (1277/1729). PCGS Population: (124/345). MS62. NGC ID# 255H, PCGS# 133937 Base PCGS# 7206

CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA

- 7864 Three-Piece Lot of 1962 Bashlow Restrike Confederate Half Dollars. The lot includes: Bronze MS67 Red PCGS, Bertram-B861-218; and Goldine MS67 PCGS, Bertram-B861-219; and Silver MS67 NGC, Bertram-B861-220. (Total: 3 tokens)
- 7865 Five-Piece Lot of Uncertified (1961) Bashlow Restrike Confederate Cent Hub Impressions. The lot includes an obverse impression in silver; a reverse impression in silver; an obverse impression in goldine; an everse impression in goldine; and obverse and reverse impressions in a large copper block, serial number 61. (Total: 5 tokens)

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- 23. All sales are strictly for cash in United States dollars (including U.S. currency, bank wire, cashier checks, travelers checks, eChecks, and bank money orders, and are subject to all reporting requirements). All deliveries are subject to good funds; funds being received in Auctioneer's account before delivery of the merchandise; and all payments are subject to a clearing period. Auctioneer reserves the right to determine if a check constitutes "good funds": checks drawn on a U.S. bank are subject to a ten business day hold, thirty days when drawn on an international bank. Clients with pre-arranged credit may receive immediate credit for payments via eCheck, personal, or corporate checks. All others will be subject to a hold of 5 business days, or more, for the funds to clear prior to releasing merchandise. (Ref. T&C item 7 Credit for additional information.) Payments can be made 24-48 hours post auction from the My Orders page of the HA.com website. Payment via credit card (Visa, Mastercard, Discover, and American Express) will be accepted upon prior approval by Auctioneer. All payments by credit card will incur a surcharge of 2.5%. Payment by eCheck, wire transfer, or check will not incur a surcharge. This fee only applies to credit transactions, and does not exceed Auctioneer's cost of
- 24. Payment is due upon closing of the Auction session, or upon presentment of an invoice. Auctioneer reserves the right to void an invoice if payment in full is not received within 7 days after Auction close. In cases of nonpayment, Auctioneer's election to void a sale does not relieve the Bidder from their obligation to pay Auctioneer its fees (seller's and buyer's premium) on the lot and any other damages pertaining to the lot or Auctioneer. Alternatively, Auctioneer at its sole option, may charge a twenty (20%) fee based on the amount of the purchase. In either case the Auctioneer may offset amount of its claim against any monies owing to the Bidder or secure its claim against any of the Bidder's properties held by the Auctioneer
- 25. Purchased lots may be subject to taxes or fees imposed by various foreign taxing agencies. Buyer is responsible for paying all foreign imposed taxes whether VAT, GST, etc. prior to delivery unless other arrangements are made in writing. Lots delivered to Buyer, or Buyer's representative are subject to all applicable state and local taxes, unless appropriate permits are on file with Auctioneer. Should state sales tax become applicable in the state for delivery prior to delivery of the property on the invoice, Buyer agrees to pay all applicable state sales tax as required by the delivery state as of the shipping date. Buyer agrees to pay Auctioneer the actual amount of tax due in the event that sales tax is not properly collected due to: 1) an expired, inaccurate, or inappropriate tax certificate or declaration, 2) an incorrect interpretation of the applicable statute, 3) or any other reason. The appropriate form or certificate must be on file at and verified by Auctioneer five days prior to Auction, or tax must be paid; only if such form or certificate is received by Auctioneer within 4 days after Auction can a refund of tax paid be made. Lots from different Auctions may not be aggregated for sales tax purposes.
- 26. In the event that Buyer's payment is dishonored upon presentment(s), Buyer shall pay the maximum statutory processing fee set by applicable state law. If Buyer attempts to pay via eCheck and Buyer's financial institution denies this bank account, or the payment cannot be completed using the selected funding source, Buyer agrees to complete payment using your credit card on file (subject to the surcharge detailed in paragraph 23).
- 27. If any Auction invoice submitted by Auctioneer is not paid in full when due, the unpaid balance will bear interest at the highest rate permitted by law from the date of invoice until paid. Any invoice not paid when due will bear a three percent (3%) late fee on the invoice amount. If the Auctioneer refers any invoice to an attorney for collection, Buyer agrees to pay attorney's fees, court costs, and other collection costs incurred by Auctioneer. If Auctioneer assigns collection to its in-house legal staff, such attorney's time expended on the matter shall be compensated at a rate comparable to the hourly rate of independent attorneys.

 28. In the event Buyer fails to pay any amounts due, Auctioneer reserves the right to sell the lot(s) securing the
- invoice to any underbidders in the Auction that the lot(s) appeared, or at subsequent private or public sale, or relist the lot(s) in a future auction conducted by Auctioneer. A defaulting Buyer agrees to pay for the reasonable costs of resale (including a 15% seller's commission, if consigned to an auction conducted by Auctioneer). The defaulting Buyer is liable to pay any difference between his total original invoice for the lot(s), plus any applicable interest, and the net proceeds for the lot(s) if sold at private sale or the subsequent hammer price of the lot(s) less the 15% seller's commissions, if sold at an Auctioneer's auction.

 29. Title shall not pass to Buyer until all invoices are paid in full. Auctioneer shall have a lien against the
- merchandise purchased by Buyer to secure payment of any and all outstanding Auction invoices. Auctioneer is further granted a lien and the right to retain possession of any other property of Buyer then held by Auctioneer or its affiliates to secure payment of any Auction invoice or any other amounts due Auctioneer or affiliates from Buyer. With respect to these lien rights, Auctioneer shall have all the rights of a secured creditor under Article 9 of the Texas Uniform Commercial Code, including but not limited to the right of sale

(including a 15% seller's commission, if consigned to an auction conducted by Auctioneer). Any Heritage foreclosure auction venue, whether or not the same venue as when the debt was incurred (e.g. Signature, Internet, or weekly), is deemed a reasonably commercial sale. In addition, with respect to payment of the Auction invoice(s), Buyer waives any and all rights of offset he might otherwise have against Auctioneer and the consignor of the merchandise included on the invoice. If Buyer owes Auctioneer or its affiliates on any account, Auctioneer and its affiliates shall have the right to offset such unpaid account by any credit balance due Buyer, and it may secure by possessory lien any unpaid amount by any of the Buyer's property in their possession.

Delivery; Shipping; and Handling Charges:

- 30. Buyer is liable for all shipping, handling, registration, and renewal fees, if any. Please refer to Auctioneer's website HA.com/c/shipping.xx for the latest charges or call Auctioneer. Auctioneer is unable to combine purchases from other auctions or affiliates into one package for shipping purposes. Merchandise will be shipped in a commercially reasonable time after payment in good funds for the merchandise and the shipping fees is received or credit extended, except when third-party shipment occurs. Buyer on lots designated for third-party shipment must designate the common carrier, accept risk of loss, and prepay shipping costs. Buyer agrees that Service and Handling charges related to shipping items which are not pre-paid may be charged to the credit card on file with Auctioneer (subject to the surcharge detailed in paragraph 23).
- 31. Successful international Bidders shall provide written shipping instructions, including specified customs declarations, to Auctioneer for any lots to be delivered outside of the United States. NOTE: Declaration value shall be the item'(s) hammer price together with its buyer's premium and Auctioneer shall use the correct harmonized code for the lot.
- 32. On all shipments in which Auctioneer charges the Delivery, Handling, and Transit Fee infin, any risk of loss during shipment will be borne by Auctioneer until the common carrier's confirmation of delivery to the address of record in Auctioneer's file, this is the "Secure Location". A common carrier's confirmation is conclusive to prove delivery to Buyer, if the client has a Signature release on file with the carrier, the package is considered delivered without Signature. Auctioneer shall arrange, select, and engage common carriers and other transportation vendors on your behalf. Transit services are subject to the following terms and conditions:
 - a. <u>Scope of Transit Services</u>: Merchandise for transit will be insured under one or more insurance policies issued by an authorized broker to Auctioneer. The merchandise will be insured for the invoice price of the properties (hammer price plus Buyer's Premium) ("Insured Value"). For each shipment, Buyer will provide a Secure Location to which the items will be delivered. NOTICE: Auctioneer is neither an insurance company nor a common carrier of any type.
 - b. <u>Auctioneer's Compensation for Transit Services</u>: Auctioneer will provide transit services to Buyer for ¾ of 1% of the Insured Value, plus packaging and handling fees and fees for the common carrier (collectively, "Delivery, Handling, and Transit Fee"). Buyer agrees to pay Delivery, Handling, and Transit Fee and comply with all terms of payment as set forth herein.
 - c. <u>Auctioneer's Limitation of Liability for Transit Services</u>: Buyer understands and agrees that Auctioneer's liability for loss of or damage to the items, if any, ends when the items have been delivered to the Secure Location, and Auctioneer has received evidence of delivery. Any claim that property has sustained loss or damage during transit must be reported to Auctioneer within seventy-two (72) hours of the delivery date. Any recovery for loss of or damage to any merchandise is limited to the lesser of actual cash value of the merchandise or the Insured Value. Under no circumstances is Auctioneer liable for consequential or punitive damages.
- 33. It shall be the responsibility for Buyer to arrange pick-up or shipping in a timely manner (within 10 days). Merchandise will be subject to storage and moving charges, including a \$100 administration fee plus \$10 daily storage for larger items and \$5 daily for smaller items (storage fee per item) after 35 days. In the event the merchandise is not removed within ninety days, the merchandise may be offered for sale to recover any past due storage or moving fees, including a 20% Seller's Commission.
- 34. A. NOTIČE OF CITËS COMPLIANČE: The purchase of items made from protected species: Any property made of or incorporating endangered or protected species or wildlife may have import and/or export restrictions established by the Convention of International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) in various countries and domestically. Plant and animal properties include (but are not limited to) items made of (or including) Brazilian rosewood, ivory, whalebone, turtle shell, coral, crocodile, alligator, lizard, or other wildlife. These items may not be available to ship internationally or, in some cases, domestically. Domestic bans and restrictions exist in these states: 1) California state law prohibits the importation of any product containing Python skin into the State of California, thus no lot containing Python skin will be shipped to or invoiced to a person or company in California. 2) Fossil Ivory is currently banned or restricted in 5 U.S. states: New York, New Jersey, California, Hawaii, and New Mexico. By placing a bid, the bidder acknowledges that he or she is aware of any restriction in their country or place of residence and takes responsibility for: 1) obtaining all information on such restricted items for both export and import; 2) obtaining all such licenses and/or permits. Delay, failure, or incapacity to obtain any such license or permit does not relieve the buyer of timely payment or afford them the capacity to void their purchase or payment. Lots containing potentially regulated wildlife material are noted in the description as a convenience to our clients. Heritage Auctions does not accept liability for errors or failure to mark lots containing protected or regulated species. For further assistance, please contact client services at 1-800-872-6467.
- 34. B. California State law prohibits the importation of any product containing Python skin into the State of California. No merchandise containing Python skin will be shipped to or invoiced to a person or company in California
- 34. C. Auctioneer shall not be liable for any loss caused by or resulting from:
 - a. Seizure or destruction under quarantine or Customs regulation, or confiscation by order of any Government or public authority, or risks of contraband or illegal transportation of trade, or
- b. Breakage of statuary, marble, glassware, bric-a-brac, porcelains, jewelry, and similar fragile articles.
- 35. Any request for shipping verification for undelivered packages must be made within 30 days of shipment by Auctioneer.

Cataloging, Warranties, and Disclaimers:

- 36. NO WARRANTY, WHETHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, IS MADE WITH RESPECT TO ANY DESCRIPTION CONTAINED IN THIS AUCTION OR ANY SECOND OPINE. Any description of merchandise or second opine contained in this Auction is for the sole purpose of identifying merchandise for those Bidders who do not have the opportunity to view merchandise prior to bidding, and no description of merchandise has been made part of the basis of the bargain or has created any express warranty that merchandise would conform to any description made by Auctioneer. Color variations can be expected in any electronic or printed imaging, and are not grounds for the return of any lot. NOTE: Auctioneer, in specified auction venues, e.g. Fine Art, may have express written warranties and Bidder is referred to those specific terms and conditions.
- 37. Auctioneer is selling only such right or title to merchandise being sold as Auctioneer may have by virtue of consignment agreements on the date of auction and disclaims any warranty of title to the merchandise. Auctioneer disclaims any warranty of merchantability or fitness for any particular purposes. All images, descriptions, sales data, and archival records are the exclusive property of Auctioneer, and may be used by Auctioneer for advertising, promotion, archival records, and any other uses deemed appropriate.
- 38. Translations of foreign language documents may be provided as a convenience to interested parties. Auctioneer makes no representation as to the accuracy of those translations and will not be held responsible for errors in bidding arising from inaccuracies in translation.
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- 39. Auctioneer disclaims all liability for damages, consequential or otherwise, arising out of or in connection with the sale of any merchandise by Auctioneer to Bidder. No third party may rely on any benefit of these Terms and Conditions and any rights, if any, established hereunder are personal to Bidder and may not be assigned. Any statement made by the Auctioneer is an opinion and does not constitute a warranty or representation. No employee of Auctioneer may alter these Terms and Conditions, and, unless signed by a principal of Auctioneer, any such alteration is null and void.
- 40. Auctioneer shall not be liable for breakage of glass or damage to frames (patent or latent); such defects, in any event, shall not be a basis for return or reduction in purchase price.

Release:

- 41. In consideration of participation in Auction and the placing of a bid, Bidder expressly releases Auctioneer, its officers, directors and employees, its affiliates, and its outside experts that provide second opines, from any and all claims, cause of action, chose of action, whether at law or equity or any arbitration or mediation rights existing under the rules of any professional society or affiliation based upon the assigned description, or a derivative theory, breach of warranty express or implied, representation or other matter set forth within these Terms and Conditions of Auction or otherwise. In the event of a claim, Bidder agrees that such rights and privileges conferred therein are strictly construed as specifically declared herein, and are the exclusive remedy. Bidder, by non-compliance to these express terms of a granted remedy, shall waive any claim against Auctioneer.
- 42. Notice: Some merchandise sold by Auctioneer is inherently dangerous e.g. firearms, cannons, and small items that may be swallowed or ingested or may have latent defects all of which may cause harm to a person. Buyer accepts all risk of loss or damage from its purchase of these items and Auctioneer disclaims any liability whether under contract or tort for damages and losses, direct or inconsequential, and expressly disclaims any warranty as to safety or usage of any lot sold.

Dispute Resolution, Arbitration, and Remedies:

By placing a bid or otherwise participating in Auction, Bidder accepts these Terms and Conditions of Auction, and specifically agrees to the dispute resolution provided herein.

- 43. Exclusive Dispute Resolution Process: All claims, disputes, or controversies in connection with, relating to, and/or arising out of Bidder's participation in Auction or purchase of any lot, any interpretation of the Terms and Conditions of Sale or any amendments thereto, any description of any lot or condition report, any damage to any lot, any alleged verbal modification of any term of sale or condition report or description, and/or any purported settlement whether asserted in contract, tort, under Federal or State statute or regulation, or any claim made by Bidder of a lot or Bidder's participation in Auction involving the auction or a specific lot involving a warranty or representation of a consignor or other person or entity including Auctioneer {which claim Bidder consents to be made a party} (collectively, "Claim") shall be exclusively heard by, and the claimant (or respondent) and Auctioneer each consent to the Claim being presented in a confidential binding arbitration before a single arbitrator administrated by and conducted under the rules of, the American Arbitration Association. The locale for all such arbitrations shall be Dallas, Texas. The arbitrator's award may be enforced in any court of competent jurisdiction. In the event that any Claim needs to be litigated, including actions to compel arbitration, construe the agreement, actions in aid of arbitration, or otherwise, such litigation shall be exclusively in the Courts of the State of Texas, in Dallas County, Texas, and if necessary the corresponding appellate courts. If a Claim involves a consumer, exclusive subject matter jurisdiction for the Claim is in the State District Courts of Dallas County, Texas and the consumer consents to subject matter and in personam jurisdiction; further CONSUMER EXPRESSLY WAIVES ANY RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY. A consumer may elect arbitration as specified above. Any claim involving the purchase or sale of numismatic or related items may be submitted through binding PNG arbitration. A Claim is not subject to class certification.
- 44. Choice of Law: Agreement and any Claim shall be determined and construed under Texas law.
 45. Fees and Costs: The prevailing party (a party that is awarded substantial and material relief on its damage claim based on damages sought versus awarded or the successful defense of a Claim based on damages sought versus awarded) may be awarded reasonable attorneys' fees and costs.
- 46. Remedies: Any Claim must be brought within two (2) years of the alleged breach, default or misrepresentation or the Claim is waived. After one (1) year has elapsed, Auctioneer's maximum liability shall be limited to any commissions and fees Auctioneer earned on that lot. Auctioneer in no event shall be responsible for consequential damages, incidental damages, compensatory damages, or any other damages arising or claimed to be arising from the auction of any lot. Exemplary or punitive damages are not permitted and are waived. In the event that Auctioneer cannot deliver the lot or subsequently it is established that the lot lacks title, or other transfer or condition issue is claimed, in such cases the sole remedy shall be limited to rescission of sale and refund of the amount paid by Buyer; in no case shall Auctioneer's maximum liability exceed the high bid on that lot, which bid shall be deemed for all purposes the value of the lot. In the event of an attribution error, Auctioneer may at its sole discretion, correct the error on the Internet, or, if discovered at a later date, refund Buyer's purchase price without further obligation. Nothing herein shall be construed to extend the time of return or conditions and restrictions for return.
- 47. These Terms & Conditions provide specific remedies for occurrences in the auction and delivery process. Where such remedies are afforded, they shall be interpreted strictly. Bidder agrees that any claim shall utilize such remedies; Bidder making a claim in excess of those remedies provided in these Terms and Conditions agrees that in no case whatsoever shall Auctioneer's maximum liability exceed the high bid on that lot, which bid shall be deemed for all purposes the value of the lot.

Miscellaneous

- 48. Agreements between Bidders and consignors to effectuate a non-sale of an item at Auction, inhibit bidding on a consigned item to enter into a private sale agreement for said item, or to utilize Auctioneer's Auction to obtain sales for non-selling consigned items subsequent to Auction, are strictly prohibited. If a subsequent sale of a previously consigned item occurs in violation of this provision, Auctioneer reserves the right to charge Bidder the applicable Buyer's Premium and consignor a Seller's Commission as determined for each auction venue and by the terms of the seller's agreement.
- 49. Acceptance of these Terms and Conditions qualifies Bidder as a client who has consented to be contacted by Heritage in the future. In conformity with "do-not-call" regulations promulgated by the Federal or State regulatory agencies, participation by Bidder is affirmative consent to being contacted at the phone number shown in his application and this consent shall remain in effect until it is revoked in writing. Heritage may from time to time contact Bidder concerning sale, purchase, and auction opportunities available through Heritage and its affiliates and subsidiaries.
- 50. Rules of Construction: Auctioneer presents properties in a number of collectible fields, and as such, specific venues have promulgated supplemental Terms and Conditions. Nothing herein shall be construed to waive the general Terms and Conditions of Auction by these additional rules and shall be construed to give force and effect to the rules in their entirety.

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- COINS and CURRENCY TERM A: Signature* Auctions are not on approval. No certified material may be returned because of possible differences of opinion with respect to the grade offered by any thirdparty organization, dealer, or service. No guarantee of grade is offered for uncertified Property sold and subsequently submitted to a third-party grading service. There are absolutely no exceptions to this policy. Under extremely limited circumstances, (e.g. gross cataloging error) a purchaser, who did not bid from the floor, may request Auctioneer to evaluate voiding a sale: such request must be made in writing detailing the alleged gross error; submission of the lot to the Auctioneer must be preapproved by the Auctioneer; and bidder must notify Ron Brackemyre (1-800-872-6467 Ext. 1312) in writing of such request within three (3) days of the non-floor bidder's receipt of the lot. Any lot that is to be evaluated must be in our offices within 30 days after Auction. Grading or method of manufacture do not qualify for this evaluation process nor do such complaints constitute a basis to challenge the authenticity of a lot. AFTER THAT 30-DAY PERIOD, NO LOTS MAY BE RETURNED FOR REASONS OTHER THAN AUTHENTICITY. Lots returned must be housed intact in their original holder. No lots purchased by floor Bidders may be returned (including those Bidders acting as agents for others) except for authenticity. Late remittance for purchases may be considered just cause to revoke all return privileges
- COINS and CURRENCY TERM B: Auctions conducted solely on the Internet THREE (3) DAY RETURN POLICY: Certified Coin and Uncertified and Certified Currency lots paid for within seven days of the Auction closing are sold with a three (3) day return privilege unless otherwise noted in the description as "Sold As Is, No Return Lot". You may return lots under the following conditions: Within three days of receipt of the lot, you must first notify Auctioneer by contacting Client Service by phone (877-HERITAGE (437-4824)) or e-mail (Bid@HA.com), and immediately ship the lot(s) fully insured to the attention of Returns, Heritage, 3500 Maple Avenue, 17th Floor, Dallas TX 75219-3941. Lots must be housed intact in their original holder and condition. You are responsible for the insured, safe delivery of any lots. A non-negotiable return fee of 5% of the purchase price (\$10 per lot minimum) will be deducted from the refund for each returned lot or billed directly. Postage and handling fees are not refunded. After the three-day period (from receipt), no items may be returned for any reason. Late remittance for purchases revokes these Return privileges.
- COINS and CURRENCY TERM C: Bidders who have inspected the lots prior to any Auction, or attended the Auction, or bid through an Agent, will not be granted any return privileges, except for reasons of authenticity.
- COINS and CURRENCY TERM D: Coins sold referencing a third-party grading service are sold "as is" without any express or implied warranty, except for a guarantee by Auctioneer that they are genuine. Certain warranties may be available from the grading services and the Bidder is referred to them for further details: Numismatic Guaranty Corporation (NGC), P.O. Box 4776, Sarasota, FI. 34230, http://www.ngccoin.com/services/writtenguarantee.asp; Professional Coin Grading Service (PCGS), PO Box 9458, Newport Beach, CA 92658, http://www.pcgs.com/guarantee.html; ANACS, 6555 S. Kenton St. Ste. 303, Englewood, CO 80111; and Independent Coin Grading Co. (ICG), 7901 East Belleview Ave., Suite 50, Englewood, CO 80111.
- COINS and CURRENCY TERM E: Notes sold referencing a third-party grading service are sold "as is" without any express or implied warranty, except for guarantee by Auctioneer that they are genuine. Grading, condition or other attributes of any lot may have a material effect on its value, and the opinion of others, including third-party grading services such as PCGS Currency and PMG may differ with that of Auctioneer. Auctioneer shall not be bound by any prior or subsequent opinion, determination, or certification by any grading service. Bidder specifically waives any claim to right of return of any item because of the opinion, determination, or certification, or lack thereof, by any grading service. Certain warranties may be available from the grading services and the Bidder is referred to them for further details: Paper Money Guaranty (PMG), PO Box 4711, Sarasota FL 34230; PCGS Currency, PO Box 10470, Peoria, IL 61612-0470; PCGS Gold Shield, PO Box 9458, Newport Beach, CA 92658. Third-party graded notes are not returnable for any reason whatsoever.
- COINS and CURRENCY TERM F: Notes graded by PCGS Currency between February 4, 2009 and January 30, 2019 were graded and authenticated by K3B, Inc. under license from Collectors Universe, Inc. K3B, Inc., now operating as Legacy Currency Grading, has expressed in writing that notes graded under the license during this time period will still be covered by the full written guaranty of PCGS Currency. Warranties may be available from Collectors Universe, Inc. for all PCGS Currency notes graded prior to February 4, 2009.

- COINS and CURRENCY TERM G: Since we cannot examine encapsulated coins or notes, they are sold "as is" without our grading opinion, and may not be returned for any reason. Auctioneer shall not be liable for any patent or latent defect or controversy pertaining to or arising from any encapsulated collectible. In any such instance, purchaser's remedy, if any, shall be solely against the service certifying the collectible.
- COINS and CURRENCY TERM H: Due to changing grading standards over time, differing interpretations, and to possible mishandling of items by subsequent owners, Auctioneer reserves the right to grade items differently than shown on certificates from any grading service that accompany the items. Auctioneer also reserves the right to grade items differently than the grades shown in the prior catalog should such items be reconsigned to any future auction.
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- COINS and CURRENCY TERM J: Certification does not guarantee protection against the normal risks associated with potentially volatile markets. The degree of liquidity for certified coins and collectibles will vary according to general market conditions and the particular lot involved. For some lots there may be no active market at all at certain points in time.
- COINS and CURRENCY TERM K: All non-certified coins and currency are guaranteed genuine, but are not guaranteed as to grade, since grading is a matter of opinion, an art and not a science, and therefore the opinion rendered by the Auctioneer or any third party grading service may not agree with the opinion of others (including trained experts), and the same expert may not grade the same item with the same grade at two different times. Auctioneer has graded the noncertified numismatic items, in the Auctioneer's opinion, to their current interpretation of the American Numismatic Association's standards as of the date the catalog was prepared. There is no guarantee or warranty implied or expressed that the grading standards utilized by the Auctioneer will meet the standards of any grading service at any time in the future.
- COINS and CURRENCY TERM L: Storage of purchased coins and currency: Purchasers are advised that certain types of plastic may react with a coin's metal or transfer plasticizer to notes and may cause damage. Caution should be used to avoid storage in materials that are not inert.
- COINS and CURRENCY TERM M: NOTE: Purchasers of rare coins or currency through Heritage have available the option of arbitration by the Professional Numismatists Guild (PNG); if an election is not made within ten (10) days of an unresolved dispute, Auctioneer may elect either PNG or A.A.A. Arbitration
- COINS and CURRENCY TERM N: For more information regarding Canadian lots attributed to the Charlton reference guides, please contact: Charlton International, PO Box 820, Station Willowdale B, North York, Ontario M2K 2R1 Canada.
- COINS and CURRENCY TERM O: Financing. Auctioneer offers various extended payment options to qualified pre-approved persons and companies. The options include Extended Payment Programs (EPP) Flexible Payment Program (FPP) and Dealer Terms. Each program has its specific terms and conditions and such terms and conditions are strictly enforced. Each program has to be executed by the purchaser. Auctioneer reserves the right to alter or deny credit and in such case these auction terms shall control.

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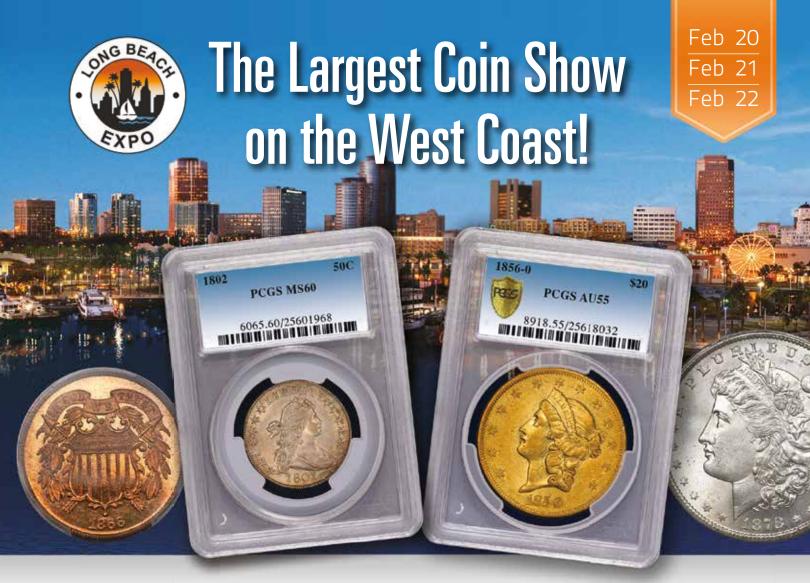
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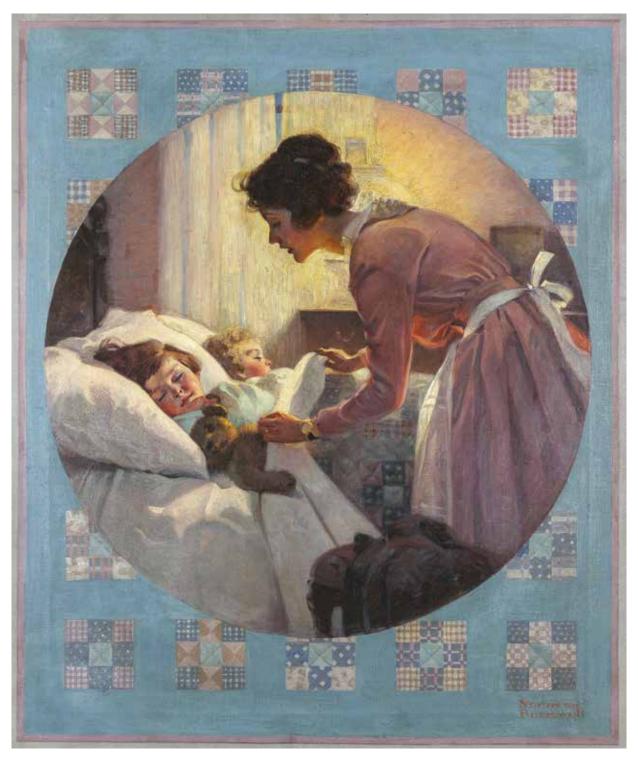
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The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles

Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. was born in Chicago, Illinois and raised in and around Washington, D.C. He received a Bachelor of Engineering degree in Chemical Engineering from Yale University in 1958 and a law degree from Harvard Law School in 1961. After a brief tour of duty with the United States Air Force, Harvey began his career in



private practice, specializing in patent law. Like many numismatists, Harvey collected coins as a teenager and continued his pursuit through high school. He still retains his long-held Mercury dime and Jefferson nickel collections, formed during the early 1950s. Upon entering college, academics took Harvey away from numismatics, as did marriage and family life, and the demands of his professional career.

Harvey acquired a variety of gold coins over the years, although he did not rekindle a serious interest in numismatics until the latter years of the 20th century. He has been actively involved in coin collecting over the past 20 years or so, and greatly enjoys the challenges and pleasures of this hobby. It was during this time that Harvey was able to assemble the extensive collection of Liberty ten dollar gold pieces offered at this

year's Long Beach Expo. At the 2012 FUN Signature auction, Heritage sold his fine collection of early half eagles – a memorable offering that resonates with gold specialists to this day.

Harvey always remembers to recognize those who helped him assemble his collections. Early on, he was fortunate to meet dealers Jim McGuigan and Larry Hanks, both of whom were instrumental in assisting him with his collecting interests. He remains grateful for their guidance and wishes to pay them special tribute. He also wishes to thank other dealers and individuals who provided him opportunities over the years to acquire coins by private treaty, including Ed Milas, Ron Karp, Gary Parietti, and Stuart Levine. Last but not least, Harvey wants to thank Doug Winter for his advice and guidance throughout the formation of this outstanding set of Liberty eagles.

A 100% complete set of Liberty eagles is one of the great challenges in numismatics ... often attempted, but seldom achieved. Here are just some of the highlights from the collection.

 Lot 3286 1875 AU50 PCGS – Lowest- 	mintage circulating	U.S.	aold coin.
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• Lot 3197 1839/8 MS64 PCGS CAC – A star of the collection.

• Lot 3223 1851-O MS64 PCGS CAC – Sole MS64 with CAC.

• Lot 3258 1864-S XF45 PCGS – Second-rarest Liberty ten dollar.

• Lot 3272 1870-CC XF45 PCGS – The Carson City key issue.

• Lot 3281 1873-CC AU53 PCGS – Rare in this grade or finer.

• Lot 3292 1877-CC AU55 PCGS – Elusive Carson City date.

• Lot 3298 1879-CC AU58 PCGS – One of the finest known.

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• Lot 3315 1883-O AU50 PCGS Gold CAC – Premier rarity, just 800 coins struck.



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1838 Ten Dollar, AU58 Scarce and Popular First-Year Issue





3196 1838 AU58 PCGS. The 1838 eagle is among the best known and most popular dates in the entire Liberty Head series. It is a first year of issue and marked a resumption of this denomination after it was discontinued in 1804. This first year of issue was also the largest denomination U.S. coin and remained so until the double eagle went into production in 1850.

Only 7,200 pieces were produced and it is likely that somewhere around 100 examples still exist. This survival figure includes a number of well-circulated coins. The 1838 becomes very scarce in About Uncirculated, especially with natural color and unimpaired mint luster. In properly graded AU58, the 1838 is rare with perhaps only five or six pieces extant. Uncirculated 1838 eagles are rare and there are no more than three (or perhaps four) traced. The two finest are from Pogue IV, lot 4063, which realized \$105,750 (it was earlier lot 3638 in the Heritage 2007 FUN Signature), and a coin sold by Heritage in the Central States Signature (4/2002), where it brought \$63,250, and does not appear to have traded since.

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Very few PCGS-certified AU58 1838 eagles have traded in the last 20+ years. The most recent trade was for an especially nice example — approved by CAC — which set a record for this grade at \$64,625. The previous record price for an AU58 was \$54,625 set by the coin in the Entlich, White Oak, Gross and St. Andre Collections (Stack's, 3/2009), lot 5989, which had earlier brought \$23,000 in the Bass Collection, Part II (Bowers and Merena, 10/1999), lot 1314.

This is a beautiful coin whose fields show a mixture of semiprooflikeness and mint luster. The central strike details are strong, but the peripheral stars are not well-defined. One could wait years and not locate a better 1838 eagle than this piece.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262D, PCGS# 8575

1839/8 Type of 1838 Ten Dollar, MS63 One of the Finest Known A Highlight of This Collection



3197 1839/8 Large Letters, Head of 1838, MS63 PCGS. CAC. Varieties of the 1839 eagle are known with the Liberty Head design as seen on coins from 1838 (along with large letters on the reverse), while the second variant shows the Liberty Head design as seen in 1840 and uses small letters on the reverse. The Type of 1838 is considerably more available.

In terms of its overall rarity, this variety is actually a bit more common than one might expect. There are likely as many as 200+pieces known and well-circulated examples are easily located. This issue is only marginally scarce in the lower grades of About Uncirculated although nice, problem-free pieces are not as easy to locate as they were a decade ago. In Uncirculated, this is a rare coin with an estimated 10 coins known. This includes a few exceptional pieces, led by the famous PCGS MS66 auctioned by Heritage for \$402,500 as part of the Gold Rush Collection in January 2005, and a PCGS MS65 that is owned by Oliver Jung and pedigreed to the Superior February 1998 sale, where it brought \$253,000.

This specific coin is from the famous James Stack Collection, which many advanced collectors and dealers regard as among the greatest (and most unheralded) assemblages of American coins sold in the 1990s. It realized \$28,600 as an unencapsulated coin in March 1995, and it was obtained via private treaty by Harvey Jacobson in 2012. The surfaces are medium yellow-gold and there are no important or detracting marks on either side. Central strike details are strong on each side. This is an undisputed highlight of the Jacobson Collection and it represents an important opportunity for the type collector or the Liberty Head eagle date specialist to acquire an exceptional piece that is clearly in the Condition Census both for the date and for the type.

Ex: James A. Stack, Sr.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 54XF, PCGS# 8576

1839 Type of 1840 Ten Dollar, AU58 Clearly in the Condition Census



3198 1839 Small Letters, Head of 1840, AU58 PCGS. The second variety of 1839 eagle is easily distinguishable from the first by Liberty's less curved lower neck, the position of the coronet point relative to star 6 and by the use of small letters on the reverse. This variant is at least four times scarcer overall than the Type of 1838; it is, in fact, the second rarest No Motto eagle from the Philadelphia mint after the 1863.

There are likely no more than 50 or so pieces known, and the number that are nice can be counted on one hand. Virtually every known example has been cleaned and most show deep, obtrusive abrasions that impact the eye appeal. There is one truly remarkable example known: an NGC MS64 from the Pittman Collection, Part Two (David Akers, 5/1988) that sold for \$143,000, and which many experts regard as one of the greatest individual coins of this design. A second Uncirculated piece is also known and is graded MS62 by PCGS. It has never appeared for sale at public auction.

The PCGS population of five coins graded AU58 is likely inflated by resubmissions. We can account for just three:

- **1. The present coin**, obtained from Douglas Winter Numismatics in 2003.
- 2. Harry Bass Collection (Bowers and Merena, 10/1999), lot 1316, where it sold for \$9,200; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/2006), lot 3481, where it realized \$69,000.
- **3. Ex: Temecula Collection**; FUN Signature (Heritage 1/2007), lot 3642, where it brought \$23,000.

It is important to note that no PCGS AU58 example of this variety has been sold at auction since January 2007. The last NGC AU58 realized \$47,000 in the Atlanta Signature (Heritage, 2/2014), lot 4154.

This is an original example whose fields are slightly reflective and yet retain significant portions of mint luster around the devices. Sharply detailed in the centers. This is an important opportunity to acquire a Condition Census example of one of the rarest No Motto Liberty Head eagles.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 54XJ, PCGS# 8580

1840 Ten Dollar, AU58 PCGS-Certified and CAC Approved



3199 1840 AU58 PCGS. CAC. The 1840 eagle is not a scarce issue based on the total number known (likely in the neighborhood of 175-200 coins) but it is a true *condition rarity*, as are so many of the Philadelphia Liberty Head issues from the 1840s.

PCGS has graded a scant six coins in AU58 (plus one AU58+), and this number seems fairly accurate. For many years, the 1840 appeared to be unique in Uncirculated, but a small number of higher-grade pieces have been uncovered in Europe during the last decade. The unquestioned finest known is these is ex: ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2014), lot 13242. That coin is graded MS62 by PCGS and it realized a record-setting \$35,250. The two or three other Uncirculated examples grade in the MS60 to MS61 range.

The Jacobson example is choice for the issue and it is one of just two approved by CAC in AU58 with a single coin approved higher than this (MS61). The surfaces are bright yellow-gold with significant reflectivity in the fields. Each side is peppered with numerous small to medium-sized abrasions. Population: 7 in 58 (1 in 58+), 5 finer. CAC: 3 in 58, 1 finer (12/19).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262G, PCGS# 8581

1841 Eagle, MS61 Rarely Seen in Uncirculated





3200 1841 MS61 PCGS. The 1841 eagle is similar in overall rarity to the 1840 but it is more available in higher grades. An estimated five to six pieces exist in Uncirculated with the finest the PCGS MS63 sold by Heritage for \$48,000 as lot 4224 in the Long Beach Signature (2/2018). There are two known in PCGS MS62: the Warren Miller coin which realized \$18,700 back in October 1995, and a coin sold by Heritage in May 2003 for \$12,650.

The Jacobson coin appears to be fresh to the market and presents the advanced collector with an opportunity to acquire a Condition Census 1841 eagle. The design elements are sharply detailed and the lustrous apricot-gold surfaces are lightly marked for the grade. It should be noted that the last auction appearance for a PCGS-certified MS61 of this date occurred nine years ago when Heritage sold a piece for \$12,650 in the Chicago Signature (8/2011), lot 7606.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262H, PCGS# 8582

1841-O Ten Dollar, XF45 Rare New Orleans Issue



3201 1841-O XF45 PCGS. Variety 1. According to Doug Winter's recent edition of Gold Coins of the New Orleans Mint, (1838-1909), the 1841-O "is the second rarest No Motto eagle from New Orleans in terms of the overall rarity and it is the single rarest in high grade, eclipsing even the 1859-O."

There are an estimated 65-75 examples known with fewer than 10 pieces in About Uncirculated. Only one survivor has a claim to Uncirculated status: the PCGS/CAC AU58 from the Eliasberg Collection, also the plate coin in the third edition of the Winter reference and a piece that is now housed in the New England Collection.

The Jacobson coin is clearly better than average for the issue, with only light wear on the design elements and lightly abraded orange-gold surfaces. The current PCGS population of 14 in XF45 seems severely inflated since only two examples in this grade have sold at auction since the middle of 2005. The rarity of the 1841-O is best illustrated by the fact that there is just one other No Motto ten dollar in this world-class set graded as low as XF45: the very rare 1864-S

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262J, PCGS# 8583

1842 Large Date Eagle, MS61 Seldom Encountered in Mint Condition



3202 1842 Large Date MS61 NGC. The Large Date variety is somewhat more common than the Small Date and it is another rarity in Uncirculated condition. There is a single Gem known, graded MS65 by PCGS, which is the finest known and it seems likely that this is the same coin that we sold as a PCGS MS64 in our October 1995 sale of the Warren Miller Collection. A second MS64 has also been graded by PCGS in addition to two coins in MS63 at this service. This a bright and notably well-struck coin. The shimmering yellow-gold surfaces show a few marks, but they are mostly scattered and only two are seen on the profile of Liberty. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262M, PCGS# 8584

1842 Small Date Eagle, MS61 Among the Finest of This Scarcer Variant



3203 **1842 Small Date MS61 NGC.** Varieties of 1842 eagle are known with a large date and a small date. The latter is scarcer although both are rare in Uncirculated. There are only an estimated five or six Uncirculated 1842 Small Date tens known; clearly the finest was from the Admiral Collection, graded MS63 by PCGS, which set a record for the date at \$55,200 (Heritage, 2/2018). The second finest appears to be the Bass II, lot 1324 coin, graded MS62 by PCGS, which sold for an impressive \$18,400 back in October 1999.

In addition to having a date size that is clearly smaller than its Large Date counterpart, this variety has a Plain 4; the Large Date sports a Crosslet 4. This is an obviously original coin that displays rich, deep reddish-gold color. A number of smaller abrasions are peppered over each side, as one would expect for a coin in this grade. Sharply defined.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262M, PCGS# 8585

1842-O Ten Dollar, AU58 Scarce Early O-Mint Issue





3204 1842-O AU58 PCGS. Variety 3. The 1842-O is a prime condition rarity from the subset of New Orleans No Motto eagles. It is not all that scarce from an overall perspective, but more than 75% of the surviving examples grade XF45 or lower. This issue is scarce in the higher About Uncirculated grades and it is rare in Uncirculated with only five or six examples known. The unquestioned finest known is a choice PCGS MS63 sold by Heritage for a record-setting \$288,000 as lot 4228 in their February 2018 auction of the Admiral Collection.

Among PCGS-certified AU58 coins, there have been only three auction sales of this issue since late-2004. The most recent is from Legend's September 2015 auction, lot 231, which brought \$18,800 for the Simpson-Hall coin. In April 2006, another example was sold by Heritage for \$15,065.

If a collector of New Orleans gold (or No Motto tens) can locate an Uncirculated 1842-O eagle, it will likely require four times as much as this coin will bring; most likely such a move would be an overbuy for most collectors. This is a sensible buy for the O-mint collector. The surfaces are bright green-gold, and the normally heavy abrasions are not present on this piece; just numerous small marks are peppered across the obverse and reverse. Well struck.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262N, PCGS# $8587\,$

1843 Eagle, AU58 Tripled Date Variety





3205 1843 AU58 PCGS. The 1843 eagle is one of the more curious dates of the No Motto type. It has a reasonably high mintage of 75,462 pieces, yet it is a scarcer issue than one might expect. Even with a number of pieces recently located overseas, it remains rare in properly graded AU55 and very rare in AU58. In Uncirculated, this date is extremely rare with just two examples known to us: an NGC MS60 that brought \$19,550 in Stack's auction in July, 2008, lot 2076, and a PCGS MS61 that realized \$15,525 in Superior's April 2003 sale, lot 414. It is interesting to note that an Uncirculated 1843 eagle has not been available to collectors in over a decade.

The Jacobson example is one of just three pieces certified AU58 by PCGS and the most recent auction price realized for such a coin is from the Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 10/2018), lot 2141, which brought \$8,700. Another example was sold by Heritage as lot 14136 in the Long Beach Signature (9/2016), a coin that sold for \$14,688.

The Tripled Date variety appears to be about as available as the Normal Date for this issue and it likely should not garner any rarity premium. This variety isn't recognized by PCGS but it is designated by NGC. This Honey-gold near-Mint example exhibits just a trace of friction on the high points of the strongly impressed devices and the minimally abraded surfaces retain much of their original mint luster.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262P, PCGS# 8588

1843-O Ten Dollar, AU58 Popular Branch Mint Type Coin





3206 1843-O AU58 PCGS. Variety 1. The 1843-O is the second most available New Orleans eagle from the 1840s after the 1847-O, and this issue is plentiful in grades through AU55. However, in AU58 the 1843-O is scarce and this issue is rare in Uncirculated with only an estimated seven to nine examples believed extant. The finest known is an NGC MS64 sold by Heritage for \$58,650 in their 2006 ANA Auction.

The PCGS population of 14 in AU58 seems inflated by resubmissions; also, many of the examples graded as such are not choice. Among PCGS-certified pieces, since 2007 there have only been six auction sales of this issue in AU58; the most recent in August 2019.

This well-detailed near-Mint representative shows only a trace of high-point wear, with a spidery die crack from the eagle's wing through the tops of the letters in STATES. The lustrous yellow-gold surfaces are minimally abraded throughout. At its current level, nice AU examples of this date represent good value and this nice 1843-O would make an interesting type coin for the collector seeking a single high-quality No Motto eagle from this scarce southern facility.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262R, PCGS# 8589

1844 Ten Dollar, AU58 Rare, Low-Mintage Issue Likely a Condition Census Example



3207 1844 AU58 NGC. Despite a low mintage of only 6,361 pieces, the 1844 continues to be an underappreciated issue in the No Motto Liberty Head eagle series. Only 40 to 50+ examples are known in all grades, making the 1844 one of the rarest No Motto eagles from any mint.

When available, the typical 1844 ten dollar grades VF-XF, and AU coins are rare with fewer than 10 pieces known. There are two or three coins known in Uncirculated:

- **1. MS63 NGC**. Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4230, realized \$72,000.
- **2. MS61 NGC.** Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2016), lot 14138, realized \$30,550.
- **3. MS61 NGC.** Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/2018), lot 4169, realized \$28,805.

Virtually all of the higher grade 1844 eagles that exist have come onto the market in the past few years. These have come from different sources, so it is unlikely that there was a hoard, and none appear to have originated overseas.

As on all known 1844 eagles, the Jacobson coin shows a horizontal die line below star 1 and a series of vertical die scratches from the denticles into the fields near star 3. This near-Mint specimen displays lovely medium yellow-gold color and remaining areas of luster. Light wear appears on the high points.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2014), lot 6842, where it sold for \$8.813.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262S, PCGS# 8590

1844-O Ten Dollar, MS61 A Rare and Important Offering Fewer Than a Dozen Known in Uncirculated



3208 1844-O MS61 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. Ex: Simpson-Hall. The 1844-O is one of three New Orleans eagles from the 1840s with a mintage greater than 100,000 pieces. It is common in all circulated grades but it is rare in Uncirculated with only nine to 11 examples known. This includes a unique proof graded PR66 Cameo by NGC, which is regarded as one of the most valuable of any gold coins struck at the New Orleans mint.

The Jacobson coin was last sold as lot 233 in Legend's September 2015 auction, where it realized \$21,738. It was earlier in the Simpson and Hall Collections. It is one of just two Uncirculated 1844-O eagles approved by CAC with the other grading MS60.

To the best of our knowledge, this is the only PCGS-graded, non-shipwreck Uncirculated 1844-O eagle that is potentially available to collectors; all of the coins graded higher than this are off the market in tightly-held collections. Like many other 1844-O tens seen, this piece is also well-detailed. Abrasions are slight and only minimally effect the mint luster. Ex: Simpson-Hall.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 554G, PCGS# 8591

1845 Eagle, AU55 Housed in an Old Green Label Holder



3209 1845 AU55 PCGS. The 1845 is the second issue in a trio of difficult Philadelphia eagles struck in the mid-1840s. It is not as rare as the low-mintage 1844 but compares favorably to the 1846. An estimated 110 to 130+ pieces exist with most grading XF45 or lower. There are 15-18 examples known in About Uncirculated with most in the lower range. Properly graded AU55 to AU58 1845 eagles are rare and this date is exceedingly rare in Uncirculated with just two known: an NGC MS61 sold by Heritage for \$16,100 in the 2011 ANA auction, and the Warren Miller coin, graded MS62 by PCGS, which realized \$52,800 in March 2018 after it originally brought \$16,500 in October 1995.

Only two PCGS AU55 1845 eagles have sold at auction since 1997: this coin (see below for the provenance), and the Admiral coin that Heritage sold in February 2018 for \$9,000. With only three pieces graded higher than this by PCGS (two in AU58 and the previously mentioned MS62), this lovely 1845 eagle is clearly in the Condition Census for the issue. The well-detailed design elements are lightly worn and the yellow and rose-gold surfaces show only minor abrasions.

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2016), lot 14139, where it realized \$8,225.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262U, PCGS# 8592

1845-O Ten Dollar, MS62 Likely Second Finest Known First Time Offered at Public Auction



3210 1845-O Repunched Date MS62 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. The 1845-O is easily obtained in grades through AU53 but it is scarce in AU55 and AU58, especially with original color and choice surfaces. In Uncirculated, this is a rare coin with only seven or eight pieces extant. The finest known is clearly the glorious PCGS/CAC MS64 in the New England Collection, which has an enviable Clapp-Eliasberg-Bass pedigree and an unbroken provenance going back to 1890. The Jacobson coin is likely the second finest known. There is another example graded MS62 by PCGS but, in our opinion, it is not as choice as the present piece. The surfaces display lemonyellow centers with deeper rose color around the margins. The lustrous surfaces are surprisingly free from the usual heavy abrasions encountered on this issue.

This remarkable coin has never been offered for sale at auction and it was acquired by Mr. Jacobson from an eastern dealer. It is interesting to note that an NGC MS62 1845-O eagle recovered from the S.S. New York was auctioned by Stack's in July 2008 and sold for \$54,625. Serious collectors of New Orleans eagles will be well aware of the significance of this impressive 1845-O ten dollar. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262V, PCGS# 88593 Base PCGS# 8593

1846 Ten Dollar Liberty, AU55 Rarely Seen Finer





- 3211 1846 AU55 PCGS. The 1846 is similar in overall rarity to the 1845 but, if anything, it is even rarer in high grades. It is almost never seen finer than AU55 and there are just three or four pieces known in Uncirculated:
 - 1. MS62+ PCGS. Simpson / Hall Collection.
 - **2. MS62 NGC.** Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2008), lot 2215, where it sold for \$51,750; Dallas Signature (Heritage 10/2008), lot 3853, where it realized \$40,250.
 - 3. MS61 PCGS. Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2004), lot 7661, where it brought \$22,500 (as MS61 NGC).
 - **4. MS60 PCGS.** Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/1997), lot 704 (as MS60 NGC); Stack's (3/2018), lot 10367, realized \$40,800.

PCGS AU55 examples of this date have traded at auction with even less frequency than Uncirculated examples. Since the Bass III coin was sold in November 2000, just two pieces have sold at public auction; the most recent record is the coin Heritage sold for \$16,200 as lot 4231 in its February 2018 auction of the Admiral Collection. That coin was CAC-approved and housed in an old green label holder, so a better comparison is Goldberg Auctions (6/2014), lot 1890, a coin that sold for \$9,106. This lightly worn, minimally abraded Choice AU specimen should do at least as well. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262W, PCGS# 8594

1846/'5'-O Eagle, AU53 Housed in an Old Green Label Holder





- **3212 1846/'5'-O AU53 PCGS. Variety 3.** There is no such thing as an 1846/5-O *overdate* eagle. To clear up any confusion, here are the four known varieties of 1846-O eagles:
 - Variety 1: Normal date, normal mintmark placed far to the right
 - Variety 2: Normal date, lightly repunched mintmark placed far to the left
 - Variety 3: So-called "overdate," lightly repunched mintmark placed far to the left
 - Variety 4: So-called "overdate," mintmark placed far to the right

As a date, the 1846-O is scarce and underappreciated. It is very scarce in AU53 to AU55 and rare in AU58. Five or six pieces are known in Uncirculated and the two finest are an NGC MS63 Prooflike, which is ex: Clapp-Eliasberg-Bass, and a PCGS/CAC MS64 which is also ex: Clapp-Eliasberg-Bass. This is a well-struck example that shows numerous small to medium-sized abrasions over each side.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 5541, PCGS# 8595

1847 Ten Dollar, MS62 Ex: Garrett-Bass





3213 1847 MS62 PCGS. Ex: HW Bass, Jr. Collection. The 1847 has the highest mintage of any No Motto eagle and it is common in all circulated grades. In Uncirculated grades, it is scarcer than one might expect with just a few dozen known, mostly in the MS60 to MS62 range. Examples in MS63 are rare with just two or three coins accounted for and there are just two pieces finer: an NGC MS64 Prooflike that Heritage sold for \$27,600 as lot 6728 in its December 2004 auction, and the Eliasberg coin, lot 678, which was sold again in November 2000 and July 2004; the last appearance setting a record for the date at \$39,100.

No one other than Harry Bass appears to have ever studied No Motto eagles from Philadelphia and this field remains fertile for variety research. Given the fact that 862,258 eagles were coined in 1847, it is likely that there are a host of varieties still to be discovered.

This honey-gold type coin is well-struck, both in the centers and on the stars. Luster is extensive, and the eye appeal is exceptional for a No Motto eagle. A subtle pinscratch in the left obverse field limits the grade but not the eye appeal

Ex: Garrett Collection (Stack's, 3/1976), lot 382; Harry W. Bass, Jr. Collection, Part II (Bowers and Merena, 10/1999), lot 1367; Denver Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 5553.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 262Z, PCGS# 8597

1847-O Eagle, MS61 Scarce in Mint Condition



3214 1847-O MS61 NGC. CAC. Variety 5. Given its record-setting mintage of 571,500 pieces, it is not surprising that the 1847-O is by far the most available No Motto eagle from New Orleans. It remains scarce in Uncirculated with around two dozen examples known. Most of the Uncirculated 1847-O eagles grade in the MS60 to MS62 range. This issue is rare in MS63 and very rare in MS64 with just three examples currently known.

There are two Auction Prices Realized for CAC-approved MS61 examples of the 1847-O, both of which were graded by PCGS. The more recent of the two is from Stack's Bowers Auction, 10/2018, which brought \$8,400; the other is from Stack's Bowers 2018 ANA, lot 1304, which realized \$10,200. Both of these are from the Fairmont Hoard, which has greatly impacted the number of No Motto tens available in the market. From what we have been able to discern, there were a small number of higher-grade New Orleans No Motto tens represented and almost nothing graded higher than MS61. This is an average or better detailed coin. The surfaces are slightly scuffed, but this has only slightly subdued the satiny mint luster.

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2007), lot 3159, where it brought \$7,187.50.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2632, PCGS# 8598

1848 Ten Dollar, MS64 Tied With One Other as Finest at PCGS Radiant Mint Luster



3215 1848 MS64 PCGS. CAC. The condition rarity of the No Motto eagle type can be well illustrated by the 1848. This issue has a comparatively high mintage of 145,484 pieces but the survival rate is well under 1%, and it is likely that as few as 400-500 examples exist in total. This date is seriously undervalued in properly graded AU58, and it is rare in Uncirculated with fewer than a dozen pieces currently known. Three or so of these grade MS63 and there are just two 1848 tens known in PCGS MS64: this coin (see below for pedigree information) and another — with CAC approval — the finer of this pair.

For the entire No Motto type, PCGS has graded 34 coins in MS64 plus another six in MS64+, two in MS65 and three in MS66 (12/19). This speaks volumes about the rarity of this type in high grades. It also says, loud and clear, that the high-end type collector is not likely to find a No Motto Liberty Head eagle in Gem condition since there are just five pieces extant and all of these, to the best of our knowledge, are off the market in tightly-held collections. This is a remarkable near-Gem. The surfaces exude a radiant mint luster that is not often seen on New Orleans gold. Abrasions are infrequent and none are of individual significance. Rich reddish-tinted golden color throughout.

Ex: Simpson / Hall; Regency Auction XIII (Legend, 9/2015), lot 237, where it realized \$29,375.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2633, PCGS# 8599

1848-O Eagle, MS62 With CAC Approval Condition Census Old Green Label Holder





3216 1848-O MS62 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. The 1848-O has the most unusual rarity profile of any New Orleans No Motto eagle. It is as scarce as its low mintage of 35,850 pieces would suggest, but it is actually a touch more available than one would presume in mint condition with as many as eight to 10 examples known. The best of these is the famous James Stack coin, which is the single finest No Motto eagle from the New Orleans mint; it grades MS66 PCGS and brought \$154,000 in Stack's sale of his collection in October 1994, lot 1298. There are also two or three PCGS MS64s, a single NGC MS64, one PCGS-certified MS63 and two pieces that have been graded MS62 by PCGS.

We are not aware of the earlier provenance of this specific coin but it is listed in the Condition Census in Doug Winter's recent book on New Orleans gold coins. It certainly has all the "bells and whistles" that a collector could hope for as it is housed in an old green label holder and it is the only MS62 1848-O eagle from either grading service approved by CAC.

This well-detailed MS62 specimen shows just a touch of the usual softness on the star centers, but the lustrous orange-gold surfaces are lightly marked and appealing. This is one of our favorite coins in the Jacobson Collection and it should no doubt receive considerable attention from New Orleans ten dollar specialists.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2634, PCGS# 8600

1849 Ten Dollar, MS64 Among the Finest Known





3217 1849 MS64 PCGS. CAC. The 1849 is the second most available Philadelphia eagle from this decade. A few dozen pieces exist in Uncirculated but most are in the MS60 to MS62 grade range. This date is rare in MS63 and it is very rare in MS64 with only three PCGS examples known and none finer. The listing of those known to us in MS64:

1. MS64 PCGS. Ex: Warren Miller / Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 10/1995), lot 6266, where it brought \$23,100.

2. MS64 PCGS. Logan / Steinberg Collections (Bowers and Merena, 11/2002), lot 3355, where it sold for \$14,950; Pre-Long Beach Elite Auction (Superior, 5/2003), lot 3758, where it realized \$18,400.

3. MS64 PCGS. ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2013), lot 5877, as MS64 NGC, CAC, where it brought \$32,900. **Jacobson Collection.**

4. MS64 NGC. Freedom Collection / FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2007), lot 3643, where it sold for \$23,000.

The Eliasberg coin, lot 682, is untraced but it is believed to grade MS64 by today's standards. It sold for \$11,550 in October, 1982.

Both sides of this MS64 example display semiprooflike orange-gold surfaces with good field-device contrast, stronger on the reverse. The obverse die was close to failure, giving a "bulging" look on the coin's left obverse and resulting in weakness on the stars. The central obverse and the reverse, on the other hand, are sharply struck. Raised die lines are visible in the arc of the eagle's neck and left (facing) wing. A few small contact marks on Liberty's cheek and neck preclude an even finer grade. This coin set a record price for a business strike 1849 eagle when it was last offered by Heritage seven years ago and it remains an important opportunity for the type collector to acquire a high quality No Motto eagle.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2635, PCGS# 8601

1849-O Ten Dollar, MS60 Just Three or Four Mint State Pieces



3218 1849-O MS60 PCGS. CAC. Variety 3. Ex: Clapp/Eliasberg. The 1849-O is the third rarest No Motto eagle in high grades from New Orleans after the 1841-O and the 1859-O. There are fewer than 20 pieces known in About Uncirculated and this date is very rare in Uncirculated with just three or four examples known. There are two in MS60 (both PCGS), and two graded MS61 (one each at PCGS and NGC). The Jacobson example is the only Uncirculated 1849-O eagle to have been approved by CAC and it is superbly pedigreed as well.

This is a difficult coin to properly value as the last Uncirculated 1849-O eagle to sell at auction traded twice back in 2007; once for \$20,125 and another time for \$20,700. To add another, perhaps better perspective, the highest graded example at PCGS (an MS61) brought \$21,850 in the Bass IV Auction (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000). This was a strong price at the time for an MS61 New Orleans eagle; even one as rare as the 1849-O.

This well-detailed Mint State example exhibits just a trace of softness on the stars and the butter-gold surfaces are minimally abraded for the grade. With the two finest examples of this date tied-up in the two finest collections of New Orleans eagles (Tyrant and New England) it is safe to state that this is potentially a once-in-a-generation opportunity to acquire an Uncirculated 1849-O eagle. Ex: Clapp Collection; Louis Eliasberg Gold Collection (Bowers and Ruddy, 10/1982), lot 683, where it realized \$1,760; prominent Louisiana Collection; acquired by Harvey Jacobson in 2013 via private treaty.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2636, PCGS# 8602

1850 Large Date Ten, MS63+ Condition Census Example Ex: Bass



3219 1850 Large Date MS63+ PCGS. CAC. The 1850 Large Date is at least twice as common as the 1850 Small Date in terms of overall rarity and it is also more available in high grades. There are as many a dozen examples known in Uncirculated with the three finest: a PCGS MS64 (illustrated on PCGS Coinfacts), a high-end PCGS/CAC MS63 that brought a record \$48,000 when it was offered as lot 4234 in the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2018), and the Jacobson example — graded MS63+ by PCGS and approved by CAC — obtained via private treaty from Southern Coins at the 2013 FUN show.

When David Akers penned his seminal work on eagles in 1975, he stated "I have seen only three uncirculated examples and my notes indicate that they were all just average, bagmarked uncirculated specimens, not at all choice." This indicates that the majority of the choice 1850 Large Date eagles have likely been discovered in the past four decades, most likely from overseas sources. Many of the choicer examples of this variety show mintmade spots in the planchet that appear to be impurities. These are seen far more often than on any other Philadelphia eagle from this era. This piece lacks those mint-made spots, and further shows bright yellow-gold surfaces that are moderately reflective, a result of the die striations seen in the fields on each side. A few light field marks are scattered across each side.

Ex: Bartle Collection (Stack's, 10/1984), lot 1120; Harry Bass Collection, Part IV (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000), lot 639.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2637, PCGS# 8603

1850 Small Date Ten Dollar, MS61 Rare Issue in Mint State





3220 1850 Small Date MS61 PCGS. Ex: HW Bass, Jr. Collection. The 1850 Small Date is at least twice as scarce as the Large Date variety and it is very rare in Uncirculated with just four or five pieces known. Virtually every Uncirculated 1850 Small Date eagle is in the MS60 to MS61 grade range and the finest known — by a huge margin — is the PCGS MS63 from the Admiral Collection sold by Heritage for a record-setting \$38,400 in February 2018.

Not a single PCGS MS61 has sold at auction since the Kingswood Auction (8/2002), lot 1865, a coin that realized \$11,213. In the last decade, just four NGC MS61 1850 Small Date eagles have crossed the auction block with the most recent sale in the 2015 ANA Auction (Heritage, 8/2015), lot 6232, where it brought \$10,575.

The 1850 Small Date is among the more overlooked No Motto eagles from any mint as evidenced by the fact that PCGS, as of December 2019, has graded just five pieces in Uncirculated with four coins finer than this one. As always, the stars are softly struck, but the central devices are well-detailed and the lustrous orangegold surfaces show the minimum number of minor contact marks for the grade.

Purchased by Harry Bass from Stanley Kesselman, August 30, 1971; Harry Bass Collection, Part III (Bowers and Merena, 5/2000), lot

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2638, PCGS# 8604

1850-O Ten Dollar, AU58 Minimally Abraded Example





3221 1850-O AU58 NGC. Variety 1. The 1850-O is a scarce coin in any grade above Extremely Fine, and AU55 to AU58 examples are about as nice as this issue is generally seen. In Uncirculated, the 1850-O is rare with just three or four pieces known. There are two outstanding 1850-O eagles:

> 1. MS65 PCGS. George Earle Collection (Henry Chapman, 6/1912); Clapp Collection; Eliasberg Gold Collection (Bowers and Ruddy, 10/1982), lot 686, where it sold for \$37,400; Auction '86 (Superior's section, 8/1986), lot 1421, where it brought \$29,700; Pre-Long Beach Sale (Superior, 5/1999), lot 3666, where it realized \$100,625; New England Collection via Douglas Winter Numismatics. 2. MS64 PCGS. Tyrant Collection.

Since June 2005, there have been only four NGC-certified AU58 1850-O eagles sold at auction. The most recent auction appearance was in the Beverly Hills Signature (Heritage, 11/2014), lot 4013, where that coin realized \$6,169. As seen on most higher grade examples, the fields retain significant reflectivity; in this case only subdued by light abrasions (not the usual heavy marks common to this issue). The surfaces are original with deeper red patina surrounding the devices on each side.

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2007), lot 3164, where it sold for \$6,325.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2639, PCGS# 8605

1851 Liberty Eagle, AU58 More Available No Motto Date





3222 1851 AU58 PCGS. Because examples have been uncovered in overseas sources over the last few decades, the 1851 has become a more available date than it was in the past. However, it is not easy to locate in properly graded AU58 and remains quite scarce in Uncirculated condition. There are just two or three pieces known in MS63 and a single coin has been graded MS64 by PCGS. This well-preserved example has even orange-gold coloration and significant luster remaining around the devices. Sharply struck in the centers with slight softness noted on the peripheral stars. Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2006), lot 3750; FUN

Signature (Heritage, 1/2008), lot 4405

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263A, PCGS# 8606

1851-O Ten Dollar, MS64 Only Two Certified in This Grade by PCGS Sole Near-Gem With CAC Approval



3223 1851-O MS64 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. Ex: HW Bass, Jr. Collection. The variety is confirmed by the presence of a short die break above the first T in STATES on the reverse. The 1851-O is the second most available No Motto eagle from New Orleans after the 1847-O. It is far scarcer in Uncirculated than most casual collectors realize and there are likely as few as nine or 10 pieces extant in Uncirculated condition.

The three finest known 1851-O eagles are as follows:

1. MS64 PCGS / CAC. Elmer Sears to John H. Clapp, 1920; Clapp Collection; Eliasberg Gold Collection (Bowers and Ruddy, 10/1982), lot 688, where it sold for \$24,200; Harry Bass Collection (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000), lot 645, where it realized \$29,900; Jacobson Collection.

2. MS64 PCGS. Midwestern Collection, Douglas Winter Numismatics, 2005; Tyrant Collection.

3. MS64 NGC. Current location unknown.

The example in the Jacobson Collection is likely the finest known 1851-O eagle and it certainly has the best pedigree of this date and mintmark combination with an uninterrupted chain dating back exactly 100 years.

There are only a handful of No Motto New Orleans eagles graded MS64 or finer, and this 1851-O is one of an even smaller number that will be available to advanced collectors. The mint luster on this piece is nothing less than incredible. It is bright and frosted with slightly reflective fields and pronounced yellow-gold color. Only the slightest abrasions are seen scattered throughout the fields on each side.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263B, PCGS# 8607

1852 Ten Dollar, MS62 Surprisingly Scarce Issue





3224 1852 MS62 PCGS. The 1852 eagle is common in all circulated grades, but it is surprisingly scarce in Uncirculated with an estimated 15-20 pieces known. Nearly all of these grade MS60 to MS61. Properly graded MS62s are rare as evidenced by the fact that PCGS has graded just four examples in this grade plus two in MS62+ (12/19).

The finest known 1852 eagle, by a huge margin, is the fabulous PCGS MS66 which was last sold for \$253,000 by Heritage in the Gold Rush Collection in January 2005. Many experts regard this coin as the single finest No Motto eagle in existence. This attractive MS62 specimen is a memorable coin in its own right, with well-detailed design elements, vibrant mint luster, and vivid orange-gold surfaces that show only minor signs of contact. Population: 6 in 62 (2 in 62+), 1 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263C, PCGS# 8608

1852-O Eagle, AU55 Scarce, Low-Mintage Issue





3225 1852-O AU55 PCGS. Variety 1. After a large production of eagles at the New Orleans mint in 1851, only 18,000 coins were made in 1852. Today there are an estimated 125-150 examples known with around three dozen in About Uncirculated. Very few of the AU examples are choice and the PCGS population of 19 in AU55 seems inflated considering how few have traded at auction. In AU58, the 1852-O eagle is rare and this date is very rare in Uncirculated with just three pieces known. The two finest known 1852-O tens have both traded in recent years and the sole NGC MS61 brought \$84,000 in February 2018, while a PCGS MS60 in an old green label holder set a record for this date when it brought \$111,625 in November, 2016.

A total of four PCGS-certified AU55 examples of this date have sold at auction since November 2011. The last occurred in August 2015 when Heritage sold one for \$7,638. Interestingly, two sales in excess of \$10,000 occurred before this with a high of \$10,575 in January 2014.

With just three pieces graded in AU58, one in AU58+ and the MS60 (mentioned above) graded higher than this piece, the Jacobson coin represents essentially the finest available quality for the issue. Lightly worn and minimally abraded, the eye appeal of this remarkable coin matches its high technical quality.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263D, PCGS# 8609

1853 Ten Dollar, MS61 With CAC Approval





3226 1853 MS61 PCGS. CAC. Overseas discoveries of large quantities of Philadelphia Mint No Motto eagles has made the 1853 far more available in lower Uncirculated grades than they were even a decade ago. As with virtually all dates of the No Motto type, MS62 1853 eagles remain scarce, and this date is rare in MS63 or finer. The finest known is a single piece graded MS64+ by PCGS; a coin that is plated on PCGS CoinFacts.

Despite the scarcity of this date in MS61, it remains affordable. To our way of thinking, a coin such as this represents very good value. The gleaming yellow-gold surfaces of this attractive Mint State example are minimally marked for the grade and the design elements are well-detailed throughout.

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2013), lot 5245, where it brought \$4,553.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# C82G, PCGS#8610

1853/'2' Eagle, AU58 Approved by CAC





3227 1853/'2' AU58 PCGS. CAC. The years have not been kind to this variety. First, it was debunked as an overdate along with its counterpart the 1853/'2' double eagle. Second, significant quantities of nice pieces were found in overseas hoards, and today this formerly scarce issue is now readily available in grades through AU55. Properly graded AU58s remain scarce and this issue is still rare in Uncirculated with an estimated half dozen pieces known.

For most specialists, a nice AU58 like this is plenty of coin for the issue, especially given the fact that an Uncirculated piece — if available — is still likely to bring a low five-figure price. This impressive near-Mint example displays just a trace of friction on the well-detailed design elements and the lightly abraded peach-gold surfaces retain much of their original mint luster.

The most recent sale of a CAC-approved 1853/'2' eagle in PCGS AU58 was Stack's Bowers 2018 ANA, lot 4201, which brought \$4,560.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2012), lot 6476, where it brought \$6,325.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# C82G, PCGS#8611

1853-O Ten Dollar, AU58+ A Conditionally Scarce Issue



3228 1853-O AU58+ PCGS. Variety 3. This is a common date in grades through AU55 but it is scarce in AU58 and rare in Uncirculated with just four or five examples known, all in the MS60 to MS61 grade range. An interesting feature of this issue is that the price level of the 1853-O in AU58 is not in line with its availability. This date sells for a much higher price in AU58 than issues such as the 1844-O, 1845-O, and 1848-O; yet it is more available. PCGS has a current population of 21 pieces in AU58 (plus two AU58+), as of December 2019. This number is likely inflated by resubmissions, but there are enough auction records in the last five years to suggest that the actual number of distinct coins may not be that far off. This date typically sold for \$5,000 to \$6,000 in AU58 until June 2014 when a coin brought \$10,575; since then, three of the last four auction prices realized have been for more than \$10,000. This piece displays original reddish-green tinted surfaces with minimal abrasions and few of the die chips normally associated with this issue.

The Jacobson coin is one of two pieces graded AU58+ by PCGS. With just four examples graded higher by PCGS (one MS60 and three MS61) the advanced collector of New Orleans eagles is not likely to find a finer 1853-O than this.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263F, PCGS# 8612

1854 Ten Dollar, MS61 Rare in Uncirculated





3229 1854 MS61 PCGS. The 1854 is far scarcer than the other Philadelphia eagles struck from 1850 through 1856 and it remains rare in Uncirculated with an estimated seven to eight pieces known. PCGS shows that three example have been graded MS64 (with none finer) but we are aware of just one: the very attractive example plated on PCGS CoinFacts.

There are just two auction records for this date as a PCGS-certified MS61. The more recent is Legend's Regency Auction (7/2018, lot 478), which brought \$8,519, while the coin in the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/2017), lot 3844 brought \$8,225. Both of these coins were approved by CAC.

This nice example represents an unusual opportunity to acquire an 1854 eagle that is likely at the lower end of the Condition Census for this issue. The design elements are well-detailed, with some of the usual softness on the stars, and the peach-gold surfaces are lustrous and attractive. A horizontal scratch in the obverse field, near star 2, is the only mark of note.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263G, PCGS# 8613

1854-O Small Date Ten Dollar, AU55 Scarcer of the Two Date Variants





3230 1854-O Small Date AU55 PCGS. Variety 1. This variety was once regarded as the more common of the two 1854-O eagles, but it is now clear that the Small Date is not often seen finer than AU55 and it is rare in Uncirculated grades with just four or five pieces known; all of which are in the MS60 to MS61 range. The nicest example to sell in recent memory was from the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4241, graded MS61 by NGC, which brought a record \$26,400. Not a single PCGS AU55 1854-O Small Date has sold at auction since April 2011, and since that date just two coins graded AU58 by PCGS have sold. The 1854-O Small Date is clearly one of the most undervalued No Motto eagles from New Orleans. The light reddish-tinted surfaces retain a significant amount of mint luster on each side. Only lightly abraded. Population: 15 in 55, 10 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263H, PCGS# 8614

1854-O Large Date Ten Dollar, AU58 Rare in Uncirculated





3231 1854-O Large Date AU58 PCGS. Variety 2. The Large Date 1854-O ten dollar is more available than its Small Date counterpart, but it has always been more highly regarded. The Large Date has become less rare in lower-to-mid About Uncirculated condition than it was a decade ago due to examples that were discovered in European banks; however, it remains very scarce in AU58 and rare in Uncirculated. There are two examples known in MS63 (an NGC coin in the Tyrant Collection and a PCGS MS63 in the New England Collection) as well as another five to seven coins in the MS60 to MS61 range.

Not a single PCGS AU58 1854-O Large Date eagle has appeared at auction since May 2005, which would lead most observers to conclude that the PCGS population of 18 coins in this grade is significantly inflated by resubmissions. The surfaces show the usual "sunken" appearance, which weakens the central details. Significant mint luster remains and there are no abrasions worthy of mention, just the usual die cracks associated with this later state of the Variety 2 die pairing. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles.

NGC ID# 263J, PCGS# 98614

1854-S Ten Dollar, MS61 One of the Finest Known, CAC Endorsed





3232 1854-S MS61 PCGS. CAC. The 1854-S is a numismatically significant issue as it is the first eagle struck at the newly-opened San Francisco mint. It is common in circulated grades and dozens of nice About Uncirculated coins have come onto the market in the last few years from overseas sources. In Uncirculated grades, however, the 1854-S is rare with only three or four examples currently known. While the finest graded is a single PCGS MS62, we believe that the Jacobson coin is clearly finer given its exceptional originality and choice surfaces.

None of the four coins graded MS61 have ever come up for sale at auction until now. The PCGS MS62 mentioned above brought \$35,250 in the 2016 FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2016), lot 5618.

For the collector of San Francisco eagles or the first-yearof-issue gold specialist, this is an opportunity to acquire a truly exceptional 1854-S eagle. The design elements are well-detailed and the lustrous orange-gold surfaces show the expected number of minor contact marks for the grade.

Acquired from Douglas Winter Numismatics at the 2015 FUN

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263K, PCGS# 8615

1855 Ten Dollar, MS61 Conditionally Challenging P-Mint





1855 MS61 NGC. The 1855 is a common date in the No Motto series and it is easily located in all circulated grades. It is scarce in Uncirculated condition with a few dozen examples known. These are mostly in the MS60 to MS61 grade range, many of which have been located in overseas bank holdings and have been repatriated. The 1855 eagle remains rare in MS63 or finer and the best piece currently known is a PCGS MS64+ from the Simpson / Hall Collection. Two MS61 1855 eagles were sold at auction in 2019 and they brought \$4,440 (for the NGC coin) and \$4,560 (for the PCGS coin).

This particular coin shows strong central definition, but several peripheral stars are not completely brought up. The bright yellow-gold surfaces are only lightly abraded.

Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 10/2006), lot 2929, where it realized \$4,025

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263L, PCGS# 8616

1855-O Ten Dollar, AU50 Scarcer O-Mint No Motto Eagle





3234 1855-O AU50 PCGS. Variety 2. In the subset of No Motto New Orleans eagles, the 1855-O is tied for third scarcest in overall rarity and tied for fourth scarcest in high-grade rarity. The best indication of this date's scarcity in higher grades is that this piece is among the lowest graded No Motto New Orleans eagles in the Jacobson Collection — only the 1841-O (an XF45) grades below AU50.

There has not been a single PCGS-certified AU50 example of this date sold at auction since January 2009, and only one PCGS AU53 was sold in that same time frame (in January 2015) for \$5,640.

Light friction is seen over each side and the coin is uniform yellow-gold. A few small abrasions are scattered across each side. Given the fact that the coin is likely to sell for less than \$5,000, it ranks as one of the better values in the entire Jacobson Collection. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263M, PCGS# 8617

1855-S Eagle, AU58 None Graded Finer Among the Finest Known





3235 1855-S AU58 NGC. The 1855-S is among the scarcest No Motto eagles struck in San Francisco. Of the 9,000 pieces struck, only 65 to 75 examples are estimated known today; most are in lower grades. There are likely not more than 10 coins known in About Uncirculated and only two or three of these grade AU55 or higher. This date remains unknown in Uncirculated and it is one of the very few No Motto eagles from any mint that will prove impossible to find in MS60 or finer.

In addition to a condition rarity, this date is also an *appearance* rarity. Virtually every known 1855-S eagle is excessively abraded and not more than a tiny handful display natural color. The Jacobson coin shows more extensive — and more attractive — color than on virtually any 1855-S ten dollar currently accounted for.

Only two AU58 1855-S eagles have ever been offered for sale at auction: this coin (see below for the provenance), and another piece that brought \$14,100 in the Atlanta Signature (Heritage, 2/2014), lot 4168. The best PCGS example ever offered was the Warren Miller coin, which Heritage sold in October 1995 for a then-reasonable \$5.060.

Unquestionably original deep orange-gold surfaces make this a coin worthy of pursuit. There are a number of abrasions on each side, as one would expect. The savvy collector of Liberty Head eagles will realize, as did Harvey Jacobson, that this is an unimprovable example for the issue.

Ex: Donald E. Bently Collection (Heritage 3/2014), lot 30357, where it brought \$17,625.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263N, PCGS# 8618

1856 Ten Dollar, MS62 Attractive Price/Value Grade Level





3236 1856 MS62 PCGS. The 1856 eagle is similar in high-grade rarity to the 1855. It is moderately scarce in lower Uncirculated grades, scarce in properly graded MS62, rare in MS63, and currently unique any finer with a single MS64 coin graded by PCGS.

The PCGS population figure of nine coins in MS62 is likely inflated by resubmissions. Until two examples were auctioned in 2018, an MS62 1856 eagle had not sold at auction since this coin was sold in 2008. The most recent auction price realized is for the coin in Stack's Bowers 2018 ANA, lot 4217, where a nice CAC-approved PCGS coin brought \$7,500.

The MS62 grade is a sensible one for this issue — and for the No Motto type on the whole — as the coins assigned this grade tend have a pleasing appearance and the price at the next grade level is often a three-fold increase. This piece has a spot of vivid magenta on the hair above Liberty's ear, nearly in the center of the lustrous yellow-gold obverse. The devices are nicely struck with numerous minor abrasions in the fields.

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2006), lot 3753; FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2008), lot 4414, where it realized \$5,606.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263P, PCGS# 8619

1856-O Ten Dollar, AU58 Outstanding Luster Condition Census Quality





3237 1856-O AU58 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. Seen here with the seldom-seen lower mintmark reverse. The 1856-O eagle is similar in overall and high-grade rarity to the 1852-O and the 1855-O. There are an estimated 100-125 pieces known in all grades with fewer than two dozen in About Uncirculated and only three specimens are known in Uncirculated. All three of the Uncirculated coins grade MS60 and the only one to trade in recent years was an NGC/CAC example that brought \$47,000 in Stack's Bowers Baltimore Auction (11/2016), lot 2154.

PCGS shows a population of eight grading events in AU58 (as well as one AU58+), but this is likely inflated by resubmissions as only one example has traded at auction since 2000. The 1856-O eagle is rare in properly graded AU58 and there are only a few known (of which this coin is one) with original color and choice surfaces. There is a total of three coins in AU58 that have also been approved by CAC.

Two of the three Uncirculated examples of this date are off the market in tightly-held collections (Tyrant and New England) while the third, graded MS60 by NGC, has not been seen since it was sold at auction by Heritage in February 2009. This near-Mint coin displays yellow-gold luster in the protected peripheral regions, while slight friction in the open fields and over the design high points prevents a full Mint State designation. Eye appeal exceeds expectations, and the only notable strike weakness is seen on stars 1, 2, and 6.

Ex: Twelve Oaks Collection (Heritage, 9/2016), lot 14144, where it brought \$10,868.75; Cajun Collection; acquired in November 2018 via private treaty from Douglas Winter Numismatics.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263R, PCGS# 8620

1856-S Eagle, MS60 Still Scarce in Uncirculated



3238 1856-S MS60 PCGS. To the surprise of many students of this series, the rarity of this date in higher grades was not greatly inflated by the SSCA #2 recovery and there are still probably not more than 10 Uncirculated 1856-S eagles known. The finest remains the PCGS MS63 from the December 2000 Christie's sale that featured highlights from the first recovery of the S.S. Central America.

Only one PCGS MS60 example of this date has ever sold at auction and it brought \$14,950 in the Pre-FUN Elite Auction (Superior, 1/2004), lot 945. Two PCGS-certified MS61s have been auctioned; the most recent record is from David Lawrence (4/2018), lot 4367, a coin that brought \$12,000.

This bright yellow-gold example shows just a hint of reddish patina. The fields are not quite reflective, but certainly brighter than expected. Lightly abraded and fully struck.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263S, PCGS# 8621

1857 Ten Dollar, AU50 Housed in a Rare Regency Holder



3239 1857 AU50 PCGS. Overdate. Breen 6925. Thought by Breen to be an overdate, but not acknowledged as such today. As a result of recent discoveries in overseas holdings, this date has become more available in Extremely Fine and About Uncirculated grades. The 1857 remains scarce in properly graded AU58 and it is rare in Uncirculated with just four or five pieces known. The finest 1857 eagle is a sole PCGS MS62, sold by Heritage for \$29,900 as lot 30494 in their 2005 FUN Signature. This date remains a good value at current levels and despite being much scarcer than, say, an 1852 it commands just a small premium in the lower AU grades. This is an original coin with pleasing, muted reddish-gold color and occasional glimpses of luster around the devices. Lightly abraded. Housed in an old non-rectangular, oversized PCGS Regency holder. Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2011), lot 7040.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55GV, PCGS# 8622

1857-O Eagle, AU58 None Graded Higher at Either Service





3240 1857-O AU58 PCGS. Variety 1. The 1857-O has the third lowest mintage of any No Motto eagle from New Orleans and it is a scarce date in any grade with an estimated 100-125 examples known. While there are more than two dozen pieces extant in About Uncirculated, virtually all are in the lower range of this grade. An AU58 is rare with only six or seven coins accounted for. The 1857-O remains unknown in Uncirculated condition and it is one of just two dates from this mint (along with the 1841-O) that is currently without a single Mint State coin encapsulated by either service.

Since the beginning of 2005, there have been six prices realized at auction for PCGS-certified AU58 coins, with the high-water mark of \$40,250 set by Heritage in October 2006 at \$40,250. There has been just one sale since January 2009 and this was for a CAC-approved piece that realized \$22,325 in the ANA Signature (Heritage, 1/2014), lot 5667. This piece is much better struck than usually seen, and the bright yellow-gold surfaces show no singularly important abrasions. This is an important coin and there likely will be few opportunities in the coming years to bid on another PCGS-certified AU58 example of this scarce issue.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263U, PCGS# 8623

1857-S Ten Dollar, AU53 CAC Approved





3241 1857-S AU53 PCGS. CAC. Because so many coins were located on the S.S. Central America, the 1857-S is the most available No Motto eagle from San Francisco in higher grades, but it is more difficult to locate from the perspective of overall rarity than many casual collectors believe.

Just over 100 examples of this issue exist in all grades with most either graded AU50 and below or AU58 and above. Curiously, PCGS has graded very few pieces in AU53 (just four currently), and the present population of 13 examples in AU55 is likely made higher by resubmissions.

This original reddish-gold example shows a few more noticeable marks from its time in circulation, but significant mint luster remains around the devices. This is a nice example and an affordable coin that represents good value for the date.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263V, PCGS# 8624

1858 Eagle, CAC Approved AU53 An Erstwhile Major Series Rarity





3242 1858 AU53 PCGS. CAC. As recently as the 1970s, the 1858 was regarded as a major rarity in the Liberty Head eagle series but the population of this date has almost doubled, likely due to coins located in overseas sources. Today there are around 50 or so examples known from an original mintage of just 2,521 pieces. The 1858 is now more available than issues such as the 1859-O, 1859-S, 1860-S, 1863, and the 1865-S Normal Date.

The 1858 remains rare in About Uncirculated with fewer than 10 specimens known and it is almost never seen above AU55. There are two examples known in Uncirculated:

1. MS64+ PCGS. MTB, bought over the counter in 1972; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 10/1995), lot 6309, where it brought \$114,950; Central States Signature (Heritage, 5/2007), lot 2343, where it sold for \$276,000; Simpson / Hall Collection; Tyrant Collection.

2. MS61 PCGS. ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/1997), lot 7753, where it realized \$17,250; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4248, where it sold for \$27,600 (as an NGC MS61); David Lawrence Rare Coins (9/2018), lot 9277, where it brought \$60,350; DL Hansen Collection.

This is about as nice an example as one is likely to locate and there are none graded higher than this that have been approved by CAC. This is an original coin with significant reddish-gold color present overall and even deeper hues surrounding and within the recesses of the devices. Numerous small to medium-sized abrasions are peppered across each side.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263W, PCGS# 8625

1858-O Ten Dollar, MS63 Exceptional Coin and Approved by CAC



3243 1858-O MS63 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. The 1858-O is the second most available New Orleans eagle from the 1850s, but it is rare in Uncirculated with only nine to 12 pieces currently known. A number of these coins were located in the little-known but highly important Jackson, Tennessee hoard found in 1985. That is, in all likelihood, where this piece came from.

Harvey Jacobson purchased this coin via private treaty at the 2012 ANA and it has never appeared at auction. It is the single finest piece graded at PCGS and the only other coin that is comparable is an NGC MS63 Prooflike in the Tyrant Collection, formerly lot 706 in the Eliasberg Gold Auction.

There has been just one solitary Uncirculated auction record for this date since early 2007: the PCGS MS62+ that brought \$36,000 in the Stack's Bowers 2018 ANA sale. The present coin is significantly finer and it should realize considerably more. The design elements of this attractive Select specimen are sharply detailed in most areas, with just a touch of softness on the lower star centers. The vivid orange-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster and only minor signs of contact are evident. Eye appeal is outstanding. Population: 1 in 63, 0 finer. CAC: 1 in 63, 0 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55GX, PCGS# 8626

1858-S Eagle, AU58 Condition Census One of Only Three Graded, None Higher



3244 1858-S AU58 PCGS. There are numerous underrated dates in the No Motto Liberty Head eagle series and the 1858-S is foremost among these. It is scarcer than its mintage of 11,800 pieces suggests and it is likely that just four or five dozen coins are known today. There are 10 or so examples known in About Uncirculated with no more than three or four in AU55 or finer. No Uncirculated 1858-S eagles exist. The single finest we have seen is the Hansen Collection coin which was sold as lot 426 in Legend's Regency Auction in January 2019, where it shattered the record price for this date when it brought \$43,475.

PCGS has graded a mere three 1858-S eagles in AU58 with none finer (12/19). With the Hansen coin likely off the market for the foreseeable future and the other coin untraced by us, the Jacobson example takes on a level of significance for the advanced collector of Liberty Head eagles. This is a remarkably attractive coin that appears unabraded. Slight remnants of mint luster surround the devices.

Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 10/2006), lot 2935, where it sold for \$18,400.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263Y, PCGS# 8627

1859 Eagle, AU53 Somewhat Scarce, Yet Affordable



3245 1859 AU53 NGC. The 1859 is a reasonably scarce date in all grades, yet it remains affordable in the lower-to-middle About Uncirculated range. In Uncirculated, this date is rare with an estimated four to six examples known. The finest known is a newly-discovered NGC MS64 that was found along with a group of other coins from this era by a dealer in western North Carolina in the Fall of 2019. This is an attractive, original coin and is especially nice for the grade with significant traces of luster, slightly reflective fields, and only a few medium-sized abrasions.

Ex: ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2013), lot 5258.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 263Z, PCGS# 8628

1859-O Ten Dollar, AU50 Rarest No Motto Eagle From New Orleans





3246 1859-O AU50 PCGS. Variety 1. It is open to debate which is the rarest No Motto New Orleans eagle in higher grades (some say it is the 1841-O, while others believe it is the 1859-O). However, there is no doubt that the 1859-O is the rarest in terms of the total number of examples known. Only 2,300 coins were struck and 60 to 70 pieces are known. Around a dozen of these qualify as About Uncirculated and an 1859-O that grades AU55 qualifies for the Condition Census. In Uncirculated, this issue is unique with the Tyrant Collection containing an NGC MS62, a coin that was uncovered from the S.S. Republic.

Since early 2009, only two PCGS AU50 1859-O eagles have sold at auction and the more recent of these appearances was in the Houston Signature (Heritage, 12/2013), lot 3865, where it realized \$28,200. This yellow-orange piece, though softly struck as always on the stars, has pleasing central detail. Softly lustrous, lightly abraded fields show hints of reflectivity, particularly at the reverse margins. Two shallow marks are noted on Liberty's face. Population: 8 in 50, 17 finer (1/20).

Ex: Baltimore Signature (Heritage, 7/2008), lot 2009

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2642, PCGS# 8629

1859-S Eagle, AU55 Rare Issue, Tied for Finest at PCGS





3247 1859-S AU55 PCGS. The 1859-S is among the rarest of all Liberty Head eagles and it is even more difficult to locate than its mintage figure of 7,000 coins would suggest. There are an estimated four dozen or so pieces known with most grading XF45 or lower. In About Uncirculated, this is a rare issue with as few as six or seven examples known. There are no Uncirculated 1859-S eagles currently accounted for. The finest known are:

1. AU58 NGC. ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 1307, where it sold for \$27,000 (as a PCGS AU55).

2. AU55 PCGS. ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2018), lot 5247, where it brought \$25,228.

3. AU55 PCGS. Douglas Winter Numismatics to Harvey Jacobson, August 2013.

It is our belief that the rare No Motto eagles from San Francisco remain one of the true final frontiers of American numismatics. Think about how valuable this issue would be if it were a Carson City eagle with a population of just two pieces in AU55, one AU58, and no Uncirculated pieces known.

Only a trace of wear shows on the well-detailed design elements of this impressive Choice AU specimen and the colorful orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded, with traces of original mint luster in sheltered areas. The overall presentation is most attractive. Population: 2 in 55, 0 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2643, PCGS# 8630

1860 Ten Dollar, MS61 Condition Rarity in Mint State





3248 1860 MS61 PCGS. CAC. The 1860 is a moderately scarce date in higher circulated grades but it is rare and definitely overlooked in Uncirculated. It is likely that fewer than 10 pieces are accounted for in mint condition with most grading MS60 to MS62. There appear to be two examples known in MS64 and one of these set a record for the issue when it brought a strong \$70,550 in the Stack's Bowers Americana Auction (2/2013), lot 2178.

There have been just two PCGS MS61 1860 eagles sold at auction since the beginning of 1996, and the last example to cross the block brought \$7,344 at Legend's Regency XIII Auction (9/2015), lot 249. A nicer coin for the grade, with CAC approval, sold by Great Collections for a strong \$16,500 in May 2013.

This impressive Mint State specimen exhibits sharply detailed design elements, aside from a touch of the usual softness on some of the stars. The yellow-orange surfaces retain much of their original mint luster and are lightly marked for the grade. The outstanding quality and eye appeal are attested by the CAC sticker. Population: 6 in 61, 5 finer. CAC: 1 in 61, 0 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2644, PCGS# 8631

1860-O Eagle, AU58 Final No Motto O-Mint





3249 1860-O AU58 PCGS. CAC. Variety 2. The 1860-O eagle is a numismatically significant issue as it was the last No Motto eagle struck at this facility prior to closing in 1861. Eagles would not be coined again until the mint reopened in 1879. The 1860-O has a low mintage of 11,100 pieces and it is a scarce coin in the higher grades of About Uncirculated. In mint condition, the 1860-O is rare with only seven to nine examples known and virtually all are impounded in tightly-held collections.

Since Heritage sold the Warren Miller coin back in October 1995 (for \$4,400) just a single PCGS AU58 1860-O eagle has sold at auction and it brought \$8,813 in the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/2015), lot 4294. That example was not approved by CAC and the Jacobson coin should bring more, given its excellent quality for the date and grade. Numerous shallow abrasions are spread over each side, but the coin lacks the deep marks usually encountered. Original surfaces.

This is one of just three 1860-O eagles graded AU58 that have been approved by CAC, and the PCGS population in this grade is five coins in AU58 with six pieces finer (12/19).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2645, PCGS# 98631

1860-S Ten Dollar, AU55 One of the Rarest Issues of the Type



3250 1860-S AU55 PCGS. The 1860-S is among the rarest No Motto eagles of any date or mint. A scant 5,000 pieces were produced and as few as three dozen examples are known today, most in low grades. There are as few as six to eight specimens known in About Uncirculated and an example that grades AU53 readily qualifies for the Condition Census.

While PCGS shows a current population of five 1860-S eagles in AU55 this is likely inflated by resubmissions and it is possible that no more than three coins actually exist. There are two PCGS AU58s (including the Simpson / Hall coin that appears to now be in the DL Hansen collection), and a single coin graded MS60 by PCGS, which is plated on CoinFacts. A coin sold by Superior in their May 2008 auction for \$37,375 is possibly the same coin as the PCGS MS60 and, if so, this date is unique in Uncirculated.

There are two reasonably current auction prices realized for this issue in PCGS-certified AU55: Stack's Bowers Rarities Auction (5/2016), lot 105, at \$25,850, and Heritage's sale of the Bently Collection (3/2014), lot 30362, which brought \$28,200. Before these two coins, no AU55 PCGS coins had been sold since July 2003. This Choice AU has bright surfaces that display original tinges of reddish patina over each side. There are no abrasions present that are worthy of individual comment.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55H2, PCGS# 8632

1861 Ten Dollar, MS62 THE Type Coin in the No Motto Series



3251 1861 MS62 PCGS. More examples of this issue were produced than for all of the other Civil War-era eagles combined, so it is no surprise that the 1861 is by far the most available date from this era. There are a few dozen examples known in Uncirculated, and beginning at the MS62 grade level, the 1861 becomes scarce. The finest known, by a wide margin, is the amazing PCGS MS66 from the Bass Collection that brought \$50,600 when it was last sold in November, 2000. Only four PCGS MS62 1861 eagles have sold at auction since June 2006 with the last one in the 2015 ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2015), lot 6241, where it realized \$8,225.

This would make an excellent type coin for the collector seeking an impressive No Motto eagle. The coin is bright yellow-gold and problem-free for the grade. It is also important to remember that if available, a nice PCGS MS63 example of this date would sell for a price approaching \$20,000.

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From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2647, PCGS# 8633

1861-S Ten Dollar, AU55 CAC Approved, Condition Census





3252 1861-S AU55 PCGS. CAC. The 1861-S is still a scarce issue but it has become more available than it was as recently as a decade ago, likely due to examples located in overseas banks. There are as many as 70-80 pieces known in all grades and an estimated 12 to 15 coins are in About Uncirculated. This date is rare in properly graded AU55 to AU58, and the only Uncirculated piece is an NGC/CAC MS61 that Heritage last sold for \$67,563 as lot 5390 in their 2012 ANA Signature.

It is important to remember that eagles from the San Francisco mint saw much greater use in commerce than their counterparts from Philadelphia. This explains why coins like this lovely PCGS/CAC AU55 are significant to collectors as there are so few available that show light circulation.

A total of five PCGS-certified AU55 1861-S eagles have sold at auction since January 2003. The two most recent appearances are from the Long Beach Signature (Heritage 6/2017), lot 3220, where that piece brought \$15,863, and the example from the ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2016), lot 3341, which realized \$14,100. Neither of these coins was approved by CAC and the Jacobson example is clearly superior for the grade. Only a touch of wear shows on the well-detailed design elements of this impressive Choice AU specimen and the lightly abraded orange-gold surfaces retain much original mint luster in sheltered areas. CAC has approved just two coins in this grade with two finer (AU58 and MS61). Population: 8 in 55, 6 finer (1/20).

Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55H3, PCGS# 8634

1862 Ten Dollar, MS61 Just Three PCGS-Graded Uncirculated Pieces





- 3253 1862 MS61 PCGS. The 1862 is the second most available Civil War-era ten dollar, but it is many times more difficult to locate in all grades than the most common issue, the 1861. There are probably just over 100 pieces known in all grades with fewer than two dozen in About Uncirculated. It should be noted that the current PCGS population figure of 29 in AU55 is undoubtedly inflated by resubmissions. PCGS has graded two 1862 eagles in Uncirculated with one finer (12/19). The finest known are:
 - **1. MS64 NGC.** S.S. Republic. National Money Show Auction (Bowers and Merena, 4/2005), lot 2004, where it sold for \$41,975.
 - **2. MS63 NGC.** Stanley Kesselman to Harry Bass, February 17,1971; Bass Collection, Part IV (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000), lot 681, where it realized \$12,650 (as PCGS MS62).
 - **3. MS61 PCGS.** FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2016), lot 5620, where it brought \$12,925.
 - **4. MS61 PCGS.** New York Signature (Heritage, 10/2015), lot 3549, where it sold for \$18,800. **Harvey Jacobson Collection.**

It should be noted that the only examples of this date finer than the present coin are either off the market in strong hands or are significantly more expensive than the Jacobson coin. This is an important piece for the advanced gold collector. Each side is bright yellow-gold and slight reflectivity is present in the fields. Numerous small abrasions are scattered across each side and the strike is complete.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2649, PCGS# 8635

1862-S Liberty Eagle, AU50 Rarely Seen Finer





3254 1862-S AU50 PCGS. This date is considerably scarcer than the 1861-S eagle but it is more available than the 1863-S through 1866-S No Motto issues. There are an estimated 65-75 pieces known and this is a difficult date in properly graded About Uncirculated with fewer than 10 examples presently accounted for. This date is unique in Uncirculated with the sole example the PCGS MS61 from the Simpson / Hall Collection that sold for a record-smashing \$103,500 in the Central States Signature (Heritage 4/2011), lot 5427 (it should be noted that the coin was graded by NGC but it was crossed-over to PCGS immediately afterward). There has not been a single PCGS-certified AU50 example of this date sold at auction since August 2009, and since then only a single NGC AU50 has sold; it brought \$8,225 in the Summer FUN Signature (Heritage 7/2106), lot 4019. This lightly worn, lightly abraded AU specimen will be a welcome addition to a fine collection or type set.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55H4, PCGS# 8636

1863 Eagle, XF45 Second Rarest P-Mint After the 1875





3255 1863 XF45 PCGS. All of the Civil War-era Liberty Head eagles are scarce (with the exception of the 1861), but the 1863 is a key in this subset. In fact, it is among the rarest of all Liberty Head gold coins from the Philadelphia mint. Only 1,248 pieces were struck and an estimated 30 to 40 examples are known. The finest is the superb Bass IV coin, lot 683 (ex: Mid-American, 8/1991) that brought \$52,900 in its last appearance (an amazing bargain), after Harry Bass paid \$104,500 for it in 1991. Today, this coin is owned by DL Hansen. There is a second Uncirculated piece, graded NGC MS62, from the shipwreck of the S.S. Republic that is in the Tyrant Collection.

Interestingly, this date was almost never available in the earlier part of the 2010s but it became slightly more available as the decade came to a close; likely because prices shot up for the 1863 eagle and previous owners took advantage of the new levels. From 2016 to 2018, five 1863 tens crossed the auction block (including one net-graded coin sold in April 2016) with just a single coin grading higher than XF45.

While the Jacobson coin is "only" an XF45, it is a pleasing, wholesome piece that represents the best available quality for this date south of \$50,000. Only light wear shows on the devices and the pleasing orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded, aside from a few marks on Liberty's cheek.

Ex: ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2016), lot 3344, where it sold for \$35,250.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264B, PCGS# 8637

1863-S Ten Dollar, AU58 Only Three Graded Higher at Both Services





3256 1863-S AU58 NGC. The PCGS CoinFacts estimate of 47 pieces known for this date seems too low, and in our estimate the more likely number is 60 to 70 examples. The 1863-S is rarer than the 1861-S and the 1862-S in higher grades with no more than eight or nine coins that grade About Uncirculated, and most of these are certified AU55 or below.

There are three Uncirculated 1863-S eagles:

- **1. MS61 PCGS.** Warren Miller Collection (Heritage, 10/1995), lot 6330, where it brought \$27,500; Harry Bass Collection, Part IV (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000), lot 684, where it sold for \$18,400.
- **2. MS60 PCGS.** Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4262, where it sold for \$132,000.
- **3. MS61 NGC.** Pre-Long Beach Auction (Goldberg Auctions, 2/2009), lot 1535, where it realized \$37,950.

At AU58, the Jacobson coin qualifies for inclusion in the Condition Census for this issue. Only two NGC AU58 examples have sold since May 2008 (the sole PCGS AU58 has never appeared for sale at auction). Those two coins sold recently, one in the FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2019), lot 4693, where it brought \$30,000, and the other in the ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2018), lot 5278, where it sold for \$31,200.

Significant mint luster can still be seen around the margins and the devices. Only two abrasions merit mention, one in the left obverse field and the other in the right obverse field. Better detailed on the obverse devices; significant softness is noted on the neck feathers of the eagle. It is unlikely that a numerically finer 1863-S eagle will be available to advanced collectors of this series for many years to come.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264C, PCGS# 8638

1864 Ten Dollar, AU53 Fewer Than a Dozen Known in AU





3257 1864 AU53 PCGS. Ex: Simpson-Hall. With the exception of the double eagle, all of the gold coins struck in 1864 at Philadelphia have small mintages and all are very scarce to rare. Of the 3,530 eagles made for circulation an estimated 50 to 60 pieces exist with most in lower grades. There are under a dozen in About Uncirculated and just two have been graded Uncirculated by PCGS: an MS60 and an MS61. The Admiral Collection coin, sold by Heritage as lot 4263 in their February 2018 auction, brought \$60,000, which is far and away a record price for this issue.

PCGS has graded three examples in AU53. The only one to ever sell at auction last appeared in the Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 11/2011), lot 9702, where it sold for \$15,525; it had earlier sold as lot 1138 in the Johnson-Blue Collection (Stack's Bowers, 10/2010), where it realized \$23,000. Only two PCGS AU55s have sold since 1999 and they brought \$27,600 in March 2019 and \$41,125 in October 2014.

This attractive AU53 specimen is lightly worn and lightly abraded, with pleasing orange-gold surfaces. This piece qualifies at the bottom of the Condition Census for the issue and it is unlikely that a finer 1864 eagle will be available in the near future. Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264D, PCGS# 8639

1864-S Liberty Eagle, XF45 The Rarest S-Mint Ten Second Rarest Liberty Head Eagle



3258 1864-S XF45 PCGS. The 1864-S is the rarest eagle from San Francisco and it is clearly the second rarest Liberty Head eagle, trailing only the 1875. For the San Francisco mint no other year claims a smaller mintage than 1864, when just 2,500 examples were struck. There are an estimated 25-30 pieces known, and at least half of these grade lower than XF40 with some survivors as low as VG8. In choice, original Extremely Fine there are as few as a half dozen coins known, and to this number we can add another four or five in About Uncirculated. The finest is a PCGS-certified AU55+ that brought \$219,004 (as an NGC AU55) in the Chicago Signature (Heritage, 10/2018), lot 3179. No pieces are known in mint condition.

This piece was sold to Harvey Jacobson via private treaty in April 2017 (as an NGC XF45). It is a fresh coin that walked into a coin shop in the Midwest and made its way to specialist Doug Winter who sold it to Jacobson.

Between 2000 to 2014, this issue was virtually unavailable in any grade. It turns out that collector Donald Bently was quietly hoarding 1864-S eagles (and other rare issues as well) and when his collection came onto the market in early 2014, his estate contained four examples. Prices immediately skyrocketed for this issue and the formerly grossly undervalued 1864-S eagle became a six-figure coin in Extremely Fine and finer. While this date is no longer "cheap," it still seems reasonable given the popularity of the Liberty Head eagle series and the rarity of this issue.

Most of the stars show partial radial line detail, and Liberty's portrait is strong for the grade. Incompleteness is a touch more apparent on the eagle's neck and the olive leaves, but the legends on that side are bold. Attractive khaki-gold surfaces show crusty accents within the protected regions. As far as identifying this coin in future sales, pedigree markers are limited to two marks in the field above and through the tip of the bust and above the eagle's head. We would encourage anyone with an 1864-S ten on their wish list to seriously consider the present lot, as these coins rarely make public appearances. Population: 5 in 45 (1 in 45+), 7 finer (12/19). From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55MT, PCGS# 8640

1865 Ten Dollar, AU53 Only 3,980 Pieces Struck





3259 1865 AU53 PCGS. An estimated 50-60 examples of this date are known and the 1865 is among the scarcer No Motto eagles from Philadelphia. A total of 23 coins have been certified in the About Uncirculated grade range by PCGS, but this number seems to be significantly inflated by resubmissions. It is likely that no more than a dozen or so pieces are known. There is a single Uncirculated 1865 eagle, a PCGS-graded MS63 that has never been sold at public auction.

Since the start of 2003, there have been five auction prices realized for this issue in PCGS-certified AU53. Three different pieces were offered between September 2013 and October 2014, and they realized: \$15,980 (9/2013), \$18,800 (1/2014), and \$15,275 (10/2014). This is a solid example for the grade and it is likely within the lower end of the Condition Census. The yellow and rose-gold surfaces show only minor abrasions and chatter in the fields, with light wear on the devices and traces of original mint luster in sheltered areas.

Ex: Philadelphia Auction (Stack's Bowers, 9/2013), lot 3450, where it brought \$15,980.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264F, PCGS# 8641

1865-S Normal Date Ten Dollar, XF45 CAC Endorsed





3260 1865-S XF45 PCGS. CAC. Varieties of 1865-S eagles exist with a Normal Date and an Inverted Date. The latter is visually spectacular and well-known, but the Normal Date is far scarcer. In fact, it is likely the second rarest Liberty Head eagle from San Francisco, trailing only the better-known and far more expensive 1864-S.

There are as few as 30-35 examples known of the Normal Date and most are in lower grades. A properly graded Extremely Fine is about as nice as this issue is generally seen and there are as few as a half dozen or so in About Uncirculated. The finest known is the Admiral Collection coin, graded MS60 by NGC and sold by Heritage for \$90,000 as lot 4266 in their February 2018 auction.

This lightly worn Choice XF specimen offers pleasing orangegold surfaces that are remarkably lightly abraded. What appears to be damage on the cheek of Liberty is, in fact, a mint-made defect seen on all 1865-S Normal Date eagles.

The appearance rarity of this issue can be best appreciated by the fact that CAC has approved just three 1865-S Normal Date eagles: this coin, an AU53 and an AU58.

Since the Bass Collection, Part III, lot 658 coin sold in May 2000, there has been just one PCGS XF45 1865-S Normal Date ten dollar auctioned: FUN Signature (Heritage 1/2011), lot 5193, which sold for a reasonable \$7,475. The coin we offer here will no doubt bring considerably more.

Ex: Simpson-Hall.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55MU, PCGS# 8642

1865-S Inverted Date Eagle, AU53 Popular Variant



3261 1865-S 865 Over Inverted 186 AU53 PCGS. This is the better known of the two varieties of 1865-S eagles and it is spectacular from a visual perspective as the 186 date logotype was initially punched into the die upside-down and then corrected ("I'll have what he's drinking ..."). This variety wasn't publicized until the 1950s and it was long thought to be rare but is actually more available than the Normal Date 1865-S eagles. Around 45-55 pieces are known with an estimated nine or 10 examples in About Uncirculated.

This variety becomes rare in AU55 and it is unique in Uncirculated with the sole example being a remarkable PCGS MS64 from the shipwreck S.S. Brother Jonathan. It brought \$115,000 in May 1999 and \$81,650 in August 2001.

The AU53 Jacobson coin offers lightly worn design elements, with a touch of the usual softness on the central reverse. The orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded, with some chatter on Liberty's neck and cheek the only marks of note. This piece is unquestionably in the Condition Census for this variety and it is one of five graded by PCGS with four finer (12/19).

Ex: H.R. Lee Collection (Stack's, 10/1947), lot 1640; James A. Stack Collection (Stack's, 3/1995), lot 586.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264G, PCGS# 8643

1866-S No Motto Ten Dollar, AU53 Scarce and Popular Final No Motto Issue



3262 1866-S No Motto AU53 NGC. News from Philadelphia to change the reverse design of the half eagle, eagle, and double eagle was slow to reach the San Francisco mint and 8,500 ten dollar gold pieces were produced using the old No Motto reverse die.

This is a well-known rarity in the Liberty Head eagle series and it is an issue with multiple levels of demand. Around 40-50 pieces are known with many showing heavy wear or enough evidence of cleaning that they are net graded. An estimated seven to nine examples are known in the various AU grades. The record price for an 1866-S No Motto eagle is the NGC MS60 coin sold by Heritage as part of the Admiral Collection (2/2018), lot 4269, which brought \$50,400. Just two AU53 examples of this issue have traded at public auction since April 2006 and both were NGC coins: one brought \$17,400 in September 2017, while the other realized \$10,925 in June 2010. This example displays a few marks that are clustered on the cheek of Liberty, but elsewhere the coin is nearly abrasion-free. Medium orange-gold color with slight remnants of luster still surrounding the devices.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264H, PCGS# 8644

1866 With Motto Ten Dollar, MS62 Second Finest Graded at Either Service





- 3263 1866 MS62 NGC. This is a popular issue as it represents the first eagle from Philadelphia struck with the new With Motto reverse. Only 3,750 coins were produced, and around 70-80 pieces are known today. Five or six examples are known in Uncirculated:

 - MS64+ NGC. Possibly in the Tyrant Collection.
 MS62 NGC. Park Avenue Numismatics (2/2018); **Jacobson Collection.**
 - 3. MS61+ NGC. Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2015), lot 3295, where it sold for \$32,900.
 - 4. MS61 PCGS / CAC. Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 3/2019), lot 1165, where it realized \$55,200.
 - 5. MS61 NGC. Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2002), lot 8395, where it brought \$17,250; Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4270, where it sold for \$33,600.
 - 6. MS61 NGC. National Money Show Signature (Heritage, 3/2007), lot 23858, where it sold for \$16,400; Goldberg Auctions (9/2010), lot 2979, where it realized \$23,000; Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 3/2011), lot 6717, where it brought \$39,100.

The Jacobson coin represents the second-highest graded example of this issue, with sharply detailed design elements and unusually clean yellow-gold surfaces. Vibrant mint luster adds to the outstanding eye appeal. This offering is an important opportunity for the grade-conscious collector to acquire an 1866 eagle that ranks well up in the Condition Census for this numismatically significant issue.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264J, PCGS# 8649

1866-S With Motto Ten, AU53 The Simpson-Hall Example, CAC Approved



3264 1866-S Motto AU53 PCGS. CAC. This is the second variety for 1866-S eagles as examples were also struck without a motto. The With Motto is not as well-known as its No Motto counterpart but it is a scarce issue in its own right with fewer than 75 examples known in all grades. This issue saw considerable use in commerce and today it is rare in About Uncirculated with nine or 10 pieces extant. There are none in Uncirculated and the current PCGS population figures show the four highest graded specimens are two in AU55 and two in AU58.

This is a wholesome example for the issue with pleasing natural color and choice surfaces. The 1866-S With Motto is a true appearance rarity — consider that CAC has approved only four coins in all grades combined. This includes two in AU53 and just one finer, an AU55

Since early 2003, there have been five auction appearances for this date in PCGS AU53 but only two coins have sold since the beginning of 2006. The most recent sale is from the 2016 ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 2016), lot 3350, which realized \$9,988, and earlier brought \$9,200 in the Dallas Signature (Heritage, 12/2005), lot 1488. The Jacobson coin is considerably more choice and should sell for more based on its impressive quality. Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53FR, PCGS# 8650

1867 Ten Dollar, AU58 Important Condition Census Example





3265 1867 AU58 PCGS. Despite a tiny mintage of 3,090 business strikes, the 1867 is not an especially well-known date in the Liberty Head eagle series. It is rare in all grades with an estimated 55-65 pieces known. PCGS shows a current total of 22 graded in About Uncirculated, but this number is almost certainly inflated by resubmissions and there are likely fewer than 10 coins known in this grade range. The 1867 is rare in AU55 and higher.

There are an estimated three or four 1867 eagles known in Uncirculated:

- **1. MS62 PCGS.** Douglas Winter Numismatics 2019; private collection.
- 2. MS61 PCGS. Dallas Signature (Heritage, 3/2016), lot 5082, where it brought \$36,425.
- 3. MS61 PCGS. Pre-Long Beach Auction (Goldberg Auctions, 2/2007), lot 2401, where it sold for \$36,800.
- **4. MS60 NGC.** Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4272, which realized \$21,600.
- **5. MS60 NGC.** ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2010), lot 3550, which sold for \$23,000

There are only two auction prices realized for this date in PCGS-certified AU58 and they are for the same coin; a choice piece with CAC approval. That coin last sold for \$30,550 in the 2016 ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2016), lot 3351, and it earlier brought the same amount in Heritage's 2013 ANA Signature, as lot 5881.

The Jacobson coin is comfortably in the Condition Census for the issue and it represents one of the finest 1867 eagles that can be obtained by the advanced specialist. The design elements are well-detailed, with just a trace of friction on the high points, and the lightly abraded butter-gold surfaces retain much original mint luster in sheltered areas. Population: 4 in 58, 5 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264L, PCGS# 8651

1867-S Ten Dollar, AU50 A Rare and Underappreciated Issue





3266 1867-S AU50 PCGS. CAC. Ex: Simpson-Hall. The 1867-S was first identified as a "grossly underrated" issue by David Akers who pointed out that it had among the lowest frequencies of appearance of all eagles. Decades later, this date remains underappreciated and there are just 50-60 examples known from the original mintage of 9,000 pieces. The 1867-S saw heavy use in local commerce and today survivors are apt to grade XF45 or lower. This date is rare in About Uncirculated with maybe seven or eight coins known. The current PCGS population of three coins in AU55 and one in AU58 (with none finer) verifies the relative unavailability of the 1867-S in higher grades. The finest known is likely the NGC/CAC AU58 sold by Heritage as lot 4273 in the Admiral Collection (2/2018); it brought a record-setting \$45,600.

Since the sale of the Bass II coin in October 1999, only one PCGS AU50 1867-S eagle has sold at auction and it brought \$9,400 in the Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2013), lot 5899. During this same time frame, there were no PCGS AU53 examples and just two PCGS AU55s sold at public auction.

CAC has approved eight 1867-S eagles in all grades, this AU50 coin and three finer examples: one in AU55 and two in AU58. This lightly worn AU50 example displays pleasing orange-gold surfaces with the usual number of minor abrasions for the grade. Traces of original mint luster cling to sheltered areas around the devices.

This coin will be overshadowed by many other eagles in this memorable collection but it is among the more important pieces. *Ex: Simpson-Hall.*

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264M, PCGS# 8652

1868 Liberty Eagle, MS60 Impressive Prooflike Example





3267 1868 MS60 Prooflike PCGS. The 1868 is the most available Liberty eagle struck between 1862 and 1873. A few hundred exist in all grades with most grading AU55 or lower. In properly graded AU58, this is a scarce date and the 1868 remains rare in Uncirculated with just four or five known. Mint State examples with the Prooflike designation are virtually unobtainable.

The present coin is an impressive Mint State specimen with pleasing yellow-gold surfaces that exhibit reflective prooflike fields. Numerous minor contact marks and some chatter in the fields are consistent with the grade. The design elements are sharply detailed and the overall presentation is most attractive. Population: 1 in 60 Prooflike, 1 finer (1/20).

Ex: Moreira Collection, Part III (Superior, 1/1989), lot 3912.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, \tilde{Jr} . Collection of Liberty Eagles. PCGS# 88653

1868-S Ten Dollar, AU58 Condition Census, CAC Approved





3268 1868-S AU58 PCGS. CAC. The 1868-S eagle is not as scarce as the 1866-S With Motto or the 1867-S, but there are still fewer than 100 pieces known in all grades out of the mintage of 13,500 coins. This issue is scarce in About Uncirculated with most of the examples grading AU55 and lower. In AU58, this date is rare and there do not appear to be any 1868-S eagles known in Uncirculated.

Since 2005, there have been just four auction records for the 1868-S ten dollar in PCGS-certified AU58. In 2016, two pieces sold (for \$17,625 and \$16,450) while this specific example realized \$18,213 in July 2014. This remains a record price for the issue. Only two AU58 1868-S eagles have been approved by CAC with none finer.

The surfaces are original with yellow-gold color over most of each side and the devices surrounded by deeper reddish-gold. Nearly free from handling in commerce, abrasions are equally minor. There is a good chance that this is the single finest 1868-S eagle known and it is clearly the best available to collectors. An important coin.

Ex: Summer FUN Signature (Heritage, 7/2014), lot 3951, where it sold for \$18,213.50.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264P, PCGS# 8654

1869 Eagle, AU55 Only 1,830 Business Strikes Produced





3269 1869 AU55 PCGS. The mintage for this date is an absurdly low 1,830 business strikes, yet the 1869 eagle remains a curiously overlooked issue in this series. Around 55 to 65 pieces exist in all grades with perhaps a dozen extant in About Uncirculated. Most 1869 tens are deeply prooflike and heavily abraded. This is one of the true appearance rarities of all With Motto eagles, reinforced by the approval by CAC of only one coin in all grades, an AU55.

This nice AU55 is comfortably in the Condition Census for the issue. PCGS has graded few finer than this; just a single coin in AU58, another in AU58+, plus one each in MS60 and MS62. Just three coins have sold at auction in PCGS AU55 since late-1995 and each sale has occurred within the last few years. The most recent auction price realized is from Legend's Regency Auction 29 (11/2018), lot 339, a coin that brought \$9,694.

This coin is likely to sell for under \$10,000, yet it is a rare issue in all grades but it lacks the collector following accorded to the mintmarked dates of this type. This well-detailed, lightly worn Choice AU specimen exhibits lightly abraded orange-gold surfaces, with a few amber alloy spots near the eagle's head. This coin will be a welcome addition to a fine collection of Liberty eagles.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264R, PCGS# 8655

1869-S Ten Dollar, AU58 CAC Approved, Condition Census Quality





3270 1869-S AU58 PCGS. CAC. The 1869-S is a rare and overlooked date that is far scarcer than its mintage of 6,430 pieces might suggest. There are an estimated 50 to 60 examples known in all grades. This issue is difficult to locate in About Uncirculated grades with perhaps a dozen coins known. PCGS shows a population of five each in AU55 and AU58 — numbers that are undoubtedly inflated by resubmissions — a Choice AU 1869-S eagle is rare. There are two Uncirculated examples of this date known: the PCGS MS61 Bass, Part III, lot 693 coin that brought \$17,250 in October 2000, and the NGC MS61 Admiral Collection, lot 4276 coin that realized \$43,200 in the Heritage February 2018 sale.

There are four auction records for PCGS AU58 1869-S eagles since the start of 1994. The finest of these brought \$28,200, which was realized by the coin in the Bently Collection (Heritage, 3/2014), lot 30371. The last sale was in April 2015 when Heritage sold an example for \$21,378.

CAC has approved only three AU58 examples of this issue but it is hard to imagine that the other two coins compare to this choice piece. Just a trace of high-point friction is evident on the well-detailed devices and the pleasing orange-gold surfaces are lightly abraded, aside from a single long scratch below the eagle's left (facing) wing.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264S, PCGS# 8656

1870 Eagle, AU58 Underrated Philadelphia Issue



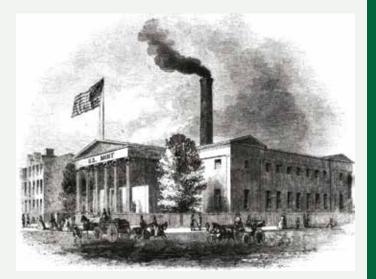


3271 1870 AU58 PCGS. The 1870 eagle has a mintage of just 3,990 circulation strikes. This date is a touch more available than its low mintage would suggest and as many as 75 to 85 pieces are known. The 1870 is seen more often in higher AU grades than the 1869 or the 1871, but the current PCGS population figures of 11 in AU55 and seven in AU58 are almost certainly inflated by resubmissions.

There is no doubt that the 1870 eagle is a rarity in AU58 and this can be verified by the fact that the Jacobson coin is the first PCGS-certified AU58 to sell at auction since the 2004 ANA. In fact, the only finer 1870 eagle to ever sell is the NGC MS60 (the sole piece graded at any level of Uncirculated) that Heritage sold for \$25,850 in their Long Beach Signature (2/2015) auction.

This coin will no doubt be overshadowed by other betterknown coins in this important collection but it represents the best available quality for this date. Deep lemon-gold patina complements reflectivity in the fields, while the design elements are sharp. Scattered light contact marks are unimportant.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264T, PCGS# 8657



1870-CC Eagle, Choice XF Natural Russet-Gold Color Inaugural-Year Carson City Key



3272 1870-CC XF45 PCGS. Variety 1-B. Ex: Northern California Set. The 1870-CC is the rarest and the most famous ten dollar gold piece from this mint. It is numismatically significant as the first eagle from Carson City and it is not that far removed in terms of its overall rarity from the famous double eagle of this date/mint. There are an estimated 50 or so examples known and this includes a number in grades as low as Very Good to Fine. In Extremely Fine, the 1870-CC eagle is scarce and it is a rarity in About Uncirculated with no more than five or six coins accounted for. The two finest known grade AU55 at PCGS and are pedigreed to the Old West and Battle Born Collections, respectively.

There has not been a PCGS-certified XF45 example of this issue at auction since February 2012 when Goldberg Auctions sold one for \$48,300. However, the market has increased dramatically for this date in the ensuing eight years as seen by the sale of a PCGS-graded Fine 12 1870-CC eagle that just sold for \$43,200 in Heritage's Dallas Signature (9/2019), lot 4993. Another notable sale occurred in February 2018 when Heritage garnered \$66,000 for an 1870-CC eagle graded VF35 from the Admiral Collection.

A few years ago when Doug Winter handled this coin, he called it one of the two or three finest XF examples of the 1870-CC he had ever seen. Describing it, he wrote:

"The obverse and reverse show very attractive natural russet-gold color which is the exact 'right' shade for the issue. Some luster can be seen in the protected areas and the strike is slightly better than average with only minor weakness in the centers. The centers are better than average for the date and grade. There are a few very light ticks in the obverse fields which are mostly hidden by the depth of the aforementioned color while the reverse is very choice except for a small mint-made spot which can be seen just above the top arrowhead. Some dirt can be seen in the recesses and the overall level of eye appeal is really high."

The Jacobson coin is a choice, wholesome piece which is just about the finest available quality for this rare and historic issue. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53FU, PCGS# 8658

1870-S Ten Dollar, AU55 Underappreciated S-Mint Issue Only AU55 Sold Since 2009





3273 1870-S AU55 PCGS. The 1870-S is overshadowed by its counterpart, the 1870-CC, but this is a scarce issue in its own right with fewer than 100 pieces known in all grades. There are an estimated 13-15 coins in About Uncirculated and virtually all of these grade AU55 or lower. PCGS has certified just two examples in AU58 and there is a single coin in Uncirculated: a PCGS MS61, the Eliasberg/Bass coin that brought a very strong \$36,800 back in November 2000.

Since early 2009, there has been just one 1870-S eagle graded AU55 by PCGS that has sold at auction, in Regency Auction 28 (Legend, 9/2018), lot 602, a coin that brought \$9,988. During this same time period, a single PCGS AU58 sold and it brought \$12,925 in the Bently Collection (Heritage, 3/2014), lot 30374.

This date is one of the more underappreciated eagles from the San Francisco mint and the Jacobson coin is almost certainly in the Condition Census for the issue. The strongly impressed design elements exhibit some light wear on the high points and the pleasing butter-gold surfaces display only minor abrasions on the devices and some light chatter in the fields. Population: 7 in 55, 3 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53FU, PCGS# 8659

1871 Eagle, AU55 Only 1,790 Circulation Strikes Produced





3274 1871 AU55 PCGS. CAC. Ex: Simpson-Hall. The 1871 is another low mintage issue (as are all Philadelphia eagles from 1869 through 1873) with a tiny number of 1,790 pieces struck for circulation. There are around 55 to 65 examples known and most are in the XF45 to AU53 grade range. An AU55 is rare (the PCGS population of six seems accurate) with only three graded finer: two in AU58 and a single coin in MS61. The finest known is from the Admiral Collection and it brought \$45,600 in February 2018.

This piece is notable for displaying far fewer detracting abrasions than normal for the issue and its color and luster are well above average as well. CAC has approved just three pieces in total for this date, two in AU55 and one in AU58.

There have been four auction records for 1871 eagles in PCGS AU55 since October 1999. The most recent is from the Regency Auction XXIV (Legend, 12/2017), lot 101, which brought \$8,813. Heritage has not sold a PCGS AU55 since January 2011. Ex: Simbson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264W, PCGS# 8660

1871-CC Ten Dollar, XF45 Collector-Grade Coin With CAC Approval



3275 1871-CC XF45 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1-A. The 1871-CC is the most available eagle from this mint struck during the first four years of this facility's operations. But "most available" still translates to only 100 to 125 coins that are known. Extremely Fine examples are moderately scarce. However, most of the coins graded XF40 or XF45 are not choice and there are just five in XF45 that have been approved by CAC (with two finer, both AU55).

This piece is choice with good color and pleasing surfaces. The XF45 grade represents a smart choice for many collectors of Carson City eagles since nice AU coins are rare and expensive.

There have been two PCGS/CAC XF45 1871-C eagles that have sold at auction in the last seven years. The most recent auction prices realized are: ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2016), lot 3361, which brought \$19,975, while this coin sold in the Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 11/2013), lot 2221, and realized \$15,275. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264X, PCGS# 8661

1871-S Ten Dollar Liberty, AU53 Scarce Yet Obtainable S-Mint Ten



3276 1871-S AU53 PCGS. The 1871-S is the most obtainable San Francisco eagle struck between 1861 and the early part of the 1870s, but it is far from common. An estimated 100 or so pieces exist with as many as 15 in the various About Uncirculated grades. Most of the AU coins grade AU53 and below, and an AU55 or AU58 1871-S ten dollar is rare. The highest graded coin at PCGS is a single AU58 and this date does not currently exist in Uncirculated (by either service).

This coin won't bring much more than \$5,000 to \$6,000, but it is close to Condition Census for the issue and it represents just the third PCGS AU53 to sell at auction since the beginning of 1998. Some light wear shows on the design elements and the pleasing orange-gold surfaces exhibit the expected number of minor abrasions for the grade.

Ex: Baltimore Auction (Bowers and Merena, 11/2009), lot 2221. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264Y, PCGS# 8662

1872 Ten Dollar, Reflective AU55 Rare, Low-Mintage Issue





3277 1872 AU55 PCGS. Ex: Simpson-Hall. Mintage figures for Philadelphia eagles continued to be tiny into 1872; this issue saw just 1,620 coins struck for circulation. The 1872 is scarcer than the 1871 in terms of overall rarity with an estimated 45-55 pieces known but it is more available in higher grades. A small hoard of Uncirculated 1872 eagles existed at one time and there are actually two coins graded MS64 by PCGS (1/20); one of these brought \$48,000 when Heritage offered it in their February 2018 Admiral Collection sale.

The 1872 eagle is rare in About Uncirculated with likely fewer than 10 examples known. PCGS has graded just three each in AU55 and AU58. There are five auction records for PCGS AU55s since October 1999; the most recent sale was Legend's Regency Auction XIII (9/2015), lot 253, at \$12,935. Heritage sold two different PCGS AU55s in 2015, each for \$16,450.

This coin displays deeply prooflike fields, hindered only slightly by the light marks and friction that come with the AU55 grade. Detail is sharp and wear light — some luster remains intact on the elevated areas of the devices. With just a handful of examples known in higher grades, the advanced collector is not likely to have an opportunity to acquire a finer 1872 eagle than this Condition Census example.

Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 264Z, PCGS# 8663

1872-CC Eagle, VF35 Collector-Grade Example





3278 1872-CC VF35 PCGS. Variety 1-B. The rarity of this date can be grasped by the fact that this 1872-CC is the single lowest graded coin in the remarkable Jacobson Collection. There were just 4,600 examples of this date produced and the 1872-CC saw extensive commercial usage. As a result, it is unique in Uncirculated (an NGC MS62 was recently discovered in England and offered in Heritage's 2020 FUN sale) and it is very rare in About Uncirculated.

A PCGS VF35 1872-CC eagle has not been offered for sale at auction since the Harry Bass Collection, Part II, lot 1532 (which brought \$5,290) was hammered in October 1999. The most recent record for a PCGS XF40 is Heritage's Chicago Signature (10/2018), lot 2146, at \$10,800.

This is one of the more affordable straight-graded 1872-CC eagles available to collectors with big tastes on a slightly limited budget. Wear is even and light, leaving most details in evidence. The deep orange-gold patina is original.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53M3, PCGS# 8664

1872-S Ten Dollar, MS60 The Only Uncirculated Piece at PCGS





3279 1872-S MS60 PCGS. CAC. The mintage figure for this issue is the highest for any San Francisco eagle since 1857. The 1872-S is reasonably available in grades through AU50 but it becomes scarce at the higher AU levels. It is rare in Uncirculated with just two pieces known: this example, and an NGC MS61 which was last sold for \$16,100 in Heritage's 2004 ANA Signature, lot 7467. Luster is far more abundant on this coin than is typical of low-end Mint State eagles, yielding warm peach and yellow-gold hues with hints of lilac. Only non-impactful abrasions are in effect, and a touch of strike softness on Liberty's central hair curls is forgotten as quickly as it is noticed.

This is among the most important San Francisco eagles in this collection and there is every reason to believe that this is the single finest known 1872-S eagle.

Ex: Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4286, where it brought \$25,200; as NGC/CAC MS60); Douglas Winter Numismatics to Harvey Jacobson, April 2018.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2653, PCGS# 8665

1873 Ten Dollar Liberty, XF45 Rare, Low-Mintage Issue Only 800 Pieces Struck



3280 1873 Closed 3 XF45 PCGS. CAC. There are only five issues of Liberty Head tens with mintages of less than 1,000 circulation strikes:

1875: 100 1876: 687 1877: 797 1873: 800 1883-O: 800

The rarity of the 1873 has been overstated in the past, but there are still only 30 to 40 pieces known; this includes a number of circulated pieces that have been located in overseas sources and repatriated into the American market. Most of the 1873 eagles known are in the XF40 to AU53 range and this date is characterized by extensively abraded surfaces. Pieces with original color and reasonably choice surfaces are very challenging to locate. The finest known 1873 eagle is a PCGS MS60 from the famous Warren Miller Collection sold by Heritage in October 1995 for \$34,100. The second finest (that we are aware of) is the PCGS AU58 that brought a record-setting \$64,625 in Stack's Bowers' Rarities Auction (5/2016), lot 109.

The last PCGS XF45 1873 eagle to sell at auction was in the Central States Signature (Heritage, 5/2005), lot 8793, where it brought \$13,800. In the ensuing decade only one XF45 was sold at auction, an NGC coin that realized \$24,675 in February 2014.

This is likely the most affordable 1873 eagle available to collectors and it should be stressed that this date is very seldom offered for sale in any grade. Both sides have natural green-gold patina and only light wear. Scattered abrasions are present, although they are generally light.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2654, PCGS# 8666

1873-CC Ten Dollar, AU53 Among the Rarest CC Dates in High Grade



3281 1873-CC AU53 PCGS. Variety 2-B, the rarer of the two die varieties for this issue, showing the mintmark placed below the fletching. The obverse die is shared with Variety 2-A, which represents the majority of the known 1873-CC eagles. Heritage last handled a problem-free Variety 2-B coin in the 2017 FUN Signature, a piece that graded XF45 PCGS. It realized \$30,550.

The 1873-CC has long been recognized as one of the rarest Carson City eagles in higher grades. There are fewer than 10 pieces known in About Uncirculated, and the current PCGS population shows just one coin certified in AU55 and one in AU58 with none in Uncirculated (12/19). It is likely the third-rarest Carson City eagle in AU and higher after the 1870-CC and the 1879-CC.

Since October 2004, there has been just a single auction appearance of this date in PCGS AU53 and that was the Bently Collection coin that Heritage sold in March 2014 for \$58,750. Neither the PCGS AU55 nor the AU58 have ever been offered for sale at auction (both are off the market in tightly-held collections), making the Jacobson coin a significant opportunity for the advanced Carson City collector.

Boldly rendered design elements exhibit little wear, although some minor strike softness — typical of the issue — is noted on the eagle's neck and the hair curls around Liberty's face. Each side has satiny fields and minimal abrasions, yielding pleasant orangegold coloration. An appealing coin, representing an incredibly important opportunity for the Carson City specialist.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53M6, PCGS# 8667

1873-S Eagle, AU55 Rare and Overlooked Issue





3282 1873-S AU55 PCGS. There were 12,000 1873-S eagles struck, and as few as 70 to 80 pieces are known today, most in lower grades. This issue saw heavy circulation and today it is rare in About Uncirculated with an estimated 10 to 12 specimens known; nearly all in the AU50 to AU53 grade range. This issue is rare and overlooked in higher AU grades. There are only two pieces known in Uncirculated: a PCGS MS61 that brought \$19,550 in the Harry Bass Collection, Part IV (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000), lot 706, and a PCGS MS62 that sold for a record \$47,000 in the Rarities Auction (Stack's Bowers, 5/2015), lot 70.

This specific coin is one of just four graded AU55 by PCGS (12/19). Since Heritage sold the Warren Miller example in October 1995, just a single AU55 from this service has been offered to collectors via public auction: the example Heritage sold as lot 7228 in the 2015 FUN sale. That coin brought \$7,050 and we expect the Jacobson coin to bring more given the increased popularity of Liberty Head eagles in the ensuing five years. The surfaces are partly lustrous and display original greenish-gold coloration. Detail is sharp, and only a few trivial marks are in evidence.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53M7, PCGS# 8668

1874 Ten Dollar, MS62 Elusive in Mint State





3283 1874 MS62 PCGS. After a decade of tiny mintages there were 53,160 eagles made for circulation in 1874, more than for all the years at Philadelphia from 1862 through 1873 combined. The 1874 is a common date in all circulated grades and it is only moderately scarce in lower Uncirculated grades. It becomes rare in MS63 and it is very rare finer. A single MS65+ is the finest graded at PCGS.

For most collectors, MS62 represents the smartest grade for this issue. A nice PCGS MS62 should cost around \$5,000 while a PCGS MS63 — if one could be located — will cost more than double that amount.

Since the start of 2008, there have been five PCGS MS62 1874 eagles sold at auction. Only one has been offered since 2011 and it sold for \$4,348 in Legend's Regency Auction XIII (9/2015), lot 255. The Jacobson coin is outstanding for the grade, showing satiny orange-gold luster with yellowish tendencies, complementing a lack of abrasions.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2657, PCGS# $8669\,$

1874-CC Eagle, XF40 Original Collector-Grade Coin





3284 1874-CC XF40 NGC. CAC. Variety 1-A. The fact that this coin is among the lowest graded in this set suggests that the 1874-CC is a rare date in the Liberty Head eagle series; but it is, in fact, the most common Carson City issue struck prior to 1880. Harvey Jacobson was offered a number of 1874-CC eagles in grades finer than XF40 but he was never able to locate a higher-grade example that he liked.

This affordable NGC/CAC EF40 has nice surfaces and natural color with great overall eye appeal. Detail is bold for the grade. Interestingly, just a single PCGS XF40 has sold at auction since the beginning of 2007 and it was a coin that realized \$4,465 in March 2017. This would make an excellent choice for the type collector who wants an interesting early date Carson City eagle as a representative of the With Motto type.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 54UF, PCGS# 8670

1874-S Ten Dollar, AU53 Attractive, Original Surfaces





3285 1874-S AU53 PCGS. Only 10,000 examples of this issue were struck, and while the 1874-S is reasonably available in grades through AU50, it is a scarce issue in finer condition. The 1874-S is rare in AU58, and it appears to be unique in Uncirculated with only a single MS61 coin recorded by PCGS (12/19).

Just two PCGS-certified AU53 1874-S eagles have appeared for sale at auction: this coin (see below for its pedigree) and a choice CAC-approved piece that brought \$7,200 in the ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4240. Faint orange toning appears the fields and on the devices, with light yellow mint luster in the protected areas around the design elements, showing traces of reflectivity. Both sides show the usual light, scattered marks expected for the grade.

In our opinion, many of the San Francisco eagles from 1866 through the late 1870s are underappreciated and represent excellent values at current price levels.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2013), lot 7354, where it brought \$5,288.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2659, PCGS# 8671

1875 Liberty Eagle, AU50 Lowest-Mintage Circulating U.S. Gold Coin Only 100 Examples Struck



3286 1875 AU50 PCGS. Only 100 business-strike Liberty eagles were struck in 1875, making it the lowest mintage regular-issue U.S. gold coin and the premier rarity of the series. PCGS CoinFacts estimates the surviving population at eight to nine examples in all grades and no Mint State coins are known, or even rumored. It has been stated that as many as 12 to 15 piece are known, but it appears that figure is on the high side and that the actual number is more likely seven to nine. Only two or three would grade AU, and some of the coins that have been certified are actually impaired proofs. The roster below includes 11 specimens known to us, including one example in the National Numismatic Collection at the Smithsonian Institution.

There was little numismatic interest in Liberty eagles in 1875, as the coins were too expensive for most collectors to set aside. The few numismatists who did collect large denomination gold coins simply ordered one of the 20 proof examples struck that year to update their collections. As a result, no business strikes were saved by contemporary collectors and no Mint State examples have ever been publicly offered. There have only been 13 public offerings of this issue in any grade over the last 20 years and most of the coins are presently in strong hands, so future auction appearances may be even more infrequent.

The present coin is an attractive AU50 PCGS example from the Jacobson Collection which we believe is tied for second-finest



known (the AU55 coin in the NGC Census is actually a circulated proof and we believe the AU53 specimen in the PCGS Population Report is a prior submission of the AU53+ example in their listings). Although the 1875 eagle has been something of a sleeper in the past, collectors are beginning to appreciate the rarity and appeal of this issue in recent times. This particular coin set the auction prices realized record for the issue in its 2018 appearance in the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), where it brought \$372,000. The AU53+ PCGS example in Stack's Bowers 2011 ANA Auction realized almost as much, as it sold for \$345,000. Clearly, collectors have become more aware of the elusive nature and potential value of this classic gold rarity. The 1875 Liberty eagle seems poised to

join the other outstanding rarities in the U.S. federal series at the highest level of commercial value and pride of ownership.

This coin exhibits only light wear on the strongly impressed design elements, with much interior detail still intact on Liberty's hair and the eagle's feathers. Like all examples seen, the pleasing orange-gold surfaces show a number of minor abrasions and some chatter in the fields, but most of the marks are unobtrusive and none are overly distracting. Original mint luster remains in the sheltered areas, mixed with flashes of prooflike reflectivity around the margins. The overall presentation is most attractive. This coin will be a welcome addition to the finest collection or Registry Set.

Roster of 1875 Liberty Eagles

1. AU53+ PCGS. Margene Heathgate Collection (Superior 6/1997), lot 1541(as AU53 PCGS); Atlanta Signature (Heritage, 8/2001), lot 7904 (as AU53 NGC); ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2011), lot 7732 (as AU53+ PCGS), realized \$345,000.

2. AU50 PCGS. St. Louis ANA Auction (New England Rare Coin Galleries, 7/1979), lot 313; Admiral Collection (Heritage,

2/2018), lot 4292, realized \$372,000. The present coin.

3. AU50 PCGS. Alto Collection (Stack's, 12/1970), lot 356; Harry W. Bass, Jr.; Bass Collection, Part II (Bowers and Merena, 10/1999), lot 1551; Jeff Garrett; Philadelphia Signature (Heritage, 8/2000), lot 7338; Pre-Long Beach Sale (Superior, 5/2001), lot 4139; Internet Only Auction (Heritage, 4/2002), lot 11458; Old Roswell Mill Collection; offered by John Hamrick in April 2008 at \$150,000; David Hall (Ellen D Collection); Simpson Collection via Legend Numismatics in May 2011.

4. AU50 PCGS. Four Landmark Collections (Bowers and Merena, 3/1989), lot 700; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 10/1995), lot 6376; Boys Town and Mamiye Collections (Bowers and Merena, 3/1998), lot 2207; Baltimore Signature (Heritage, 7/2003), lot 10450; Internet Auction (Heritage, 10/2003), lot 14125; FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2004), lot 2201; Christopher Bentley's Knob Hill Collection (Heritage, 2/2014), lot 4201, realized \$211,500.

5. XF45 PCGS. James and Margaret Carter Collection (Stack's, 1/1986), lot 270; Public Auction Sale (Stack's, 10/1988), lot 126;

ANA Signature (Heritage, 7/1997), lot 5510.

6. XF40. Possibly Col. E.H.R. Green; Dr. Charles W. Green Collection (B. Max Mehl, 4/1949), lot 547; Davis-Graves Collection (Stack's, 4/1954), lot 955; Edwards Metcalf; Gilhousen Collection, Part I (Superior, 2/1973), lot 712; Jeff Browning; Dallas Bank Collection (Sotheby's-Stack's, 10/2001), lot 474; Douglas Winter Numismatics; Southern California collection.

7. VF35 PCGS. Public Auction (Robert A. Siegel, 11/1984); Mid-American Rare Coins, 5/1992), lot 395; Dr. Jon Kardatzke Collection (Goldberg, 6/2000), lot 1539; FUN Signature (Heritage,

1/2006), lot 3536.

8. VF30 PCGS. Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/1997), lot

5548; ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/1998), lot 7771.

9. VF30 PCGS. Cornerstone Sale (Mid-American Rare Coins, 8/1991), lot 758; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/1994), lot 5441; FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/1998), lot 7966; June Auction (Superior, 6/1998), lot 2298.

10. VG. William Cutler Atwater Collection (B. Max Mehl, 6/1946), lot 1453; Amon Carter, Sr.; Amon Carter, Jr.; Amon Carter Collection (Stack's, 1/1984), lot 772; Auction '87 (Superior, 8/1987), lot 1946.

11. XF45. Possibly Jacob Shapiro, a.k.a. J.F. Bell; J.F. Bell Collection (Stack's, 12/1944), lot 639; Clifford T. Weihman; Josiah K. Lilly; Smithsonian Institution.

Additional Appearances

A. Good. John G. Kellogg, et al (Thomas Elder, 10/1916), lot 1339. B. Extremely Fine, prooflike. Sale 416 (Morgenthau, 6/1940), lot 145.

C. Fine, formerly mounted. R.L. Wilson Sale (Stack's, 10/1959), lot 1111; Golden Sale (Kreisberg-Schulman, 3/1962), lot 2678.

D. G-VG. Jacob Shapiro, a.k.a. J.F. Bell; J.F. Bell Collection (RARCOA, 4/1963), lot 392.

E. Good. Charles Williams; Adolphe Menjou Collection (Numismatic Gallery, 6/1950), lot 1616.

Note 1: The following coin has been graded as a business strike in the past, and still appears in the NGC Census, but it is actually a circulated proof:

AU55 NGC. 1992 GNA Sale (Mid-American Rare Coins, 5/1992), lot 1435; Richmond Collection, Part I (David Lawrence Rare Coins, 7/2004), lot 2102.

Note 2: This coin has been listed in previous rosters, but John Dannreuther notes it is actually an altered date:

XF45. Possibly Louis Eliasberg, Sr.; H.R. Lee Collection (Stack's, 10/1947), lot 1530; James A. Stack; James Stack Collection (Stack's, 3/1995), lot 610.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 54UH, PCGS# 8672

1875-CC Eagle, AU50 Only Branch Mint Issue of the Year





3287 1875-CC AU50 NGC. Variety 2-B. The 1875-CC is similar to the 1876-CC in terms of overall rarity. In About Uncirculated, the 1875-CC seems a touch more available. There are an estimated 125 to 150 pieces known with most in lower grades. Population figures from both services for coins graded AU50 to AU55 appear heavily inflated by resubmissions. This can be verified by the lack of auction records for the 1875-CC in this grade range for the last five or so years.

Since the beginning of 2012, just two AU50 1875-CC eagles have been sold at auction. In January 2012, Heritage sold a PCGS coin for \$12,650 while in January 2015, Heritage sold this exact coin for \$12,925. The present coin is about average for the date, with weakness on the hair, facial features, and left stars. The reverse displays more detail, but wear shows more on the high points. The surfaces are an attractive medium greenish-gold, and abrasions are minimal for the grade.

Ex: Fort Worth Signature (Heritage, 3/2010), lot 2453; FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2015), lot 7230, where it brought \$12,925.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2688, PCGS# 8673

1876 Ten Dollar, AU55 Only 687 Circulation Strikes



3288 1876 AU55 PCGS. CAC. A scant 687 business strikes were produced of this issue, which gives the 1876 the second-lowest mintage in the entire series after the extremely rare 1875. The 1876 is a very scarce coin, although it has become more available in the last decade as some examples have been located in overseas hoards of U.S. gold coins. In all, there are around 40 to 50 pieces known with almost none of these grading lower than XF40. It appears that the 1876 eagle did not see heavy circulation, and as a result many of the survivors are scuffy About Uncirculated coins. This date is rare in AU55 and AU58, and it is unique in Uncirculated with a single PCGS MS60, ex: Simpson / Hall.

Since the middle of 2009, there have been only three auction records for PCGS-certified coins of this date. The most recent is from the FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2019), lot 4698, which sold for \$22,800. Two other coins were sold at auction by Heritage: one in April 2017 for \$28,200 and another in June 2015 for \$28,200. None of these three coins were approved by CAC nor were they as choice as the Jacobson coin. CAC has approved four pieces in this grade with just one finer, an AU58.

This coin is comfortably within the Condition Census for the issue and given the fact that it is PCGS/CAC and nice for the issue, it is likely among the finest examples available of this ultralow mintage rarity. Both sides display original orange and olive-gold coloration with bold detail and just a few trivial marks.

Obtained via private treaty from Douglas Winter Numismatics in November 2015.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265C, PCGS# 8674

1876-CC Eagle, XF45 Only 100 to 125 Examples Known



3289 1876-CC XF45 PCGS. Variety 1-A. This date has a small mintage of 4,696 pieces but it is slightly more available than one might expect; still, only 100 to 125 examples are known. Many of the survivors are in low grades and there are a number of pieces in the XF40 to AU50 range. This date becomes rare in AU53 and it is very rare in the higher AU grades. There are just three coins known in PCGS AU58 (the last one of these to sell brought \$57,500 in Stack's Bowers 2012 ANA), and there are no Uncirculated 1876-CC eagles.

Since the beginning of 2006, there have been five coins graded XF45 by PCGS that have sold at auction. The most recent sale is from the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2014), lot 4204, which brought \$10,575. This is a lovely piece with excellent surfaces for the grade. While minor abrasions are noted on both sides, they are entirely trivial and inconsequential. Yellow-gold luster is still visible in the protected areas, while faint orange toning remains, especially on the reverse.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 54UL, PCGS# 8675

1876-S Ten Dollar, AU53 A Rare, Low-Mintage Issue



3290 1876-S AU53 PCGS. Of all the eagles struck at the San Francisco mint, the 1876-S has the second lowest mintage (after the 1860-S). There were only 5,000 coins struck and this issue is rare in all grades. There are 60 to 70 coins known with many of these grading XF45 and below. PCGS shows a population of 17 pieces in the lower About Uncirculated grades (10 in AU50 and seven in AU53), but these figures are inflated by resubmissions. There are likely no more than a dozen examples known in AU, and the 1876-S is rare in AU55 and virtually unknown finer. The finest known is the NGC/CAC AU58 that brought \$33,600 in the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4298.

Since the middle of 2000, there have been just two 1876-S eagles graded AU53 by PCGS that sold at auction. The most recent record is from the Bently Collection (Heritage, 3/2014), lot 30385, at \$12,925. The only PCGS AU55 to sell in over two decades brought \$22,325 in the Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 11/2013), lot 2223.

This piece almost certainly qualifies at the lower end of the Condition Census and it represents just about the finest quality available for this rare, overlooked date. Luster remains in the fields, and the devices are sharp. The only mentionable abrasion is a light pinscratch on the reverse below the olive branch.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265E, PCGS# 8676

1877 Liberty Eagle, AU58 Only 797 Examples Struck



3291 1877 AU58 PCGS. The 1877 has the third lowest mintage figure of any Liberty Head eagle made for circulation with only 797 pieces struck. The 1877 is a bit more available than its counterparts from 1873 and 1876 and there are an estimated 45-55 known. This date saw limited circulation and it appears that many were shipped overseas. As a result, a number of 1877 eagles have been repatriated and have found eager collectors in the United States. Most examples are prooflike and heavily abraded.

This date is rare in properly graded AU55 to AU58 and it is extremely rare in Uncirculated with just three known. These are as follows:

- 1. MS61 PCGS. CAC. Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 3/2015), lot 6099, realized \$64,625.
- **2. MS61 PCGS.** Pre-Long Beach Sale (Goldberg, 2/2007), lot 2415, realized \$42,550.
- 3. MS60 Prooflike PCGS. Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4299, realized \$50,400; Dallas Signature (Heritage, 11/2018), lot 3249, realized \$43,200; Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2019), lot 3901, realized \$31,200; Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 10/2019), lot 3285, realized \$38,400 (designated as "PL").

Despite this date's obvious rarity, higher grade examples are reasonably priced and, in our opinion, the 1877 is among the most undervalued Philadelphia eagles in the entire series. This impressive near-Mint example exhibits sharply detailed design elements, with just a trace of friction on the high points. The moderately abraded yellow-gold surfaces show much prooflike reflectivity in sheltered areas. Eye appeal is outstanding.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265F, PCGS# 8677

1877-CC Ten Dollar, AU55 Elusive Issue in High Grade Condition Census Example





3292 1877-CC AU55 PCGS. Variety 1-A. Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection. From a mintage of 3,332 pieces, the 1877-CC is among the rarest Carson City eagles in high grade. Fewer than 10 About Uncirculated examples are known and this issue does not exist in Uncirculated. The finest known are a pair of PCGS AU58s, followed by two PCGS AU55s (including this specimen), with a single AU58 at NGC, followed by four examples in AU55 (1/20). Some of these citations may represent duplicate submissions of the same coins.

For many years, the true rarity of this date was underestimated but it has been better understood in the last decade or so; today the 1877-CC is regarded as a key issue in the popular Carson City eagle subset.

The two finest known are as follows:

- 1. AU58 PCGS. Harry Bass Collection, Part III (Bowers and Merena, 5/2000), lot 690, where it sold for \$41,400 (as a PCGS AU55); Northern California Collection; Douglas Winter Numismatics, 2019; DL Hansen Collection.
- 2. AU58 PCGS. Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4300, where it brought \$102,000.

The Jacobson coin is the first PCGS-certified AU55 to sell at auction since July 2002 and it is high in the Condition Census for this date. The design elements were strongly impressed, aside from a touch of softness on the arrow fletchings. Only light wear shows on the devices and a clash mark is evident above the eagle's right (facing) wing. The devices exhibit the expected number of minor abrasions and some chatter is evident in the fields. The vivid yellow and orange-gold surfaces retain much of their original mint luster and overall eye appeal is quite strong. This is an important coin for the specialist.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265G, PCGS# 8678

1877-S Eagle, AU55 Seldom Offered in a PCGS Holder





3293 1877-S AU55 PCGS. The 1877-S is a much scarcer date than generally regarded and it is a legitimately rare coin in AU55 and higher. This date appears to be unique in Uncirculated — an NGC MS61 brought \$31,200 in the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4302 — and the current population of seven grading events in PCGS is almost certainly inflated by resubmissions.

Since early 1997, only four PCGS-certified AU55 1877-S eagles have sold at auction. The most recent was in Regency Auction 30 (Legend, 1/2019), lot 428, at \$3,760.

This coin offers a lot of "bang for the buck" and it would not be easy to locate a finer 1877-S eagle than this. The centers are well-defined, though the outer stars show a touch of softness. Highly appealing despite minor wear on the devices and a number of light, scattered abrasions.

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2007), lot 3188, where it realized \$4,370.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265H, PCGS# 8679

1878 Ten Dollar, MS63 CAC Endorsed in a Green Label Holder





3294 1878 MS63 PCGS. CAC. Beginning with this year, mintage figures for Philadelphia eagles increased significantly and these issues are far more available in higher grades than their counterparts from 1862 through 1877. The 1878 is somewhat scarce in the MS63 to MS64 range but it is virtually unobtainable finer with just two PCGS MS64+ coins and a single MS65 certified at this service (12/19).

This choice coin is housed in a green label PCGS holder and it is attractive for the assigned grade. Frosty yellow and peach-gold luster adorns sharp devices and shows remarkably few abrasions. For most collectors anything in grades higher than MS63 for this issue would be an overbuy, which makes this nice MS63 a perfect coin for a high-quality Liberty Head eagle set.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, $\bar{J}r$. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265J, PCGS# 8680

1878-CC Eagle, AU50 Rare Carson City Issue





3295 1878-CC AU50 NGC. Variety 1-A. With a mintage of just 3,244 pieces the 1878-CC is among the rarest eagles from this mint. There are fewer than 100 examples known and this issue is very difficult to locate in About Uncirculated grades. There are likely only a half dozen or so that grade AU55, plus another one or two in AU58, and a single Uncirculated coin graded MS62 at NGC.

Since February 2005, only two NGC AU50s have sold at auction; these brought \$19,975 in April 2014 and \$16,800 in September 2017. This date is rare and expensive in grades finer than AU50. The present coin displays light wear but retains bold detail, with natural olive-gold patina overall. Light contact marks are not bothersome.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265K, PCGS# 8681

1878-S Ten Dollar, AU58 Exceptionally Lustrous for the Grade





3296 1878-S AU58 PCGS. The 1878-S is the second most available San Francisco eagle from the 1870s, after the 1879-S. It is common in grades through AU55, scarce in AU58, and rare in Uncirculated with just two or three pieces known. The finest, by a considerable margin, is a PCGS MS64 which last sold for \$30,415 in Heritage's Exclusively Internet Auction (7/2004), Jot 13996.

Exclusively Internet Auction (7/2004), lot 13996.

A total of five PCGS AU58 1878-S eagles have sold at auction since the beginning of 2012 with all of these bringing in the \$3,000 to \$4,000 range, save for a choice CAC coin that brought a strong \$9,000 in the 2018 ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4244. This piece is boldly detailed with ample luster and little wear. The smooth, satiny wheat-gold surfaces reveal few contact marks.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265L, PCGS# 8682

1879 Eagle, MS65 An Elusive High-Grade Pre-1880 Ten





3297 1879 MS65 PCGS. The 1879 eagle is common in grades through MS63 and it is scarce in MS64. Gems, however, are rare and PCGS has graded just this one coin in MS65, plus two pieces in MS66. The undisputed finest known is an NGC MS67 which brought a record \$66,700 in Bowers and Merena (8/2007), lot 1875.

There are just two auction records for this date in PCGS MS65, including this coin (see the pedigree below for further information). This 1879 eagle is among the finest known and it represents an unusual opportunity to acquire a pre-1880 Liberty Head ten dollar in Gem Uncirculated. The surfaces are pristine with brilliant light yellow luster and faint traces of rose toning. There are few marks of any kind, and the strike is bold with virtually full design definition. Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2012), lot 4981, where it sold for \$12,650.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265M, PCGS# 8683

1879-CC Ten Dollar, AU58 One of the Finest Known Only Two in this Grade



3298 1879-CC AU58 PCGS. Variety 1-A. This issue has the lowest mintage of any gold coin struck at the Carson City mint (only 1,762 pieces were produced), and a compelling case can be made for claiming the 1879-CC is the rarest eagle from this facility. There are an estimated 40 to 50 examples known in all grades with fewer than 10 specimens in About Uncirculated. This date is rare in AU55 to AU58, and it is unique in Uncirculated with an NGC MS62 clearly the finest known.

There are two PCGS AU58 1879-CC eagles:

1. AU58 PCGS. Harry Bass Collection (Bowers and Merena, 10/1999), lot 1573, where it brought \$48,300 (as a PCGS AU55); Northern California Collection; Douglas Winter Numismatics, 2019; DL Hansen Collection.

2. AU58 PCGS. Battle Born Collection (Stack's Bowers, 8/2012), lot 11744, where it sold for \$41,688 (as an NGC AU58); Douglas Winter Numismatics; New Mexico Collection; Douglas Winter Numismatics; Harvey Jacobson Collection.

The Jacobson coin is far and away the finest available 1879-CC eagle since the unique NGC MS62 and the Bass/Hansen PCGS AU58 are off the market indefinitely. As one would expect from an issue with such a low mintage, prooflike fields are frequently seen since the initial die polish did not diminish with only 1,762 coins struck. This piece shows nicely mirrored fields that are only interrupted by the numerous abrasions that accompany 1879-CC tens. Well, but not fully struck.

This is among the most important coins in the entire collection and we expect a strong result since the 1879-CC is missing from most advanced collections of Carson City eagles.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265N, PCGS# 8684

1879-O Ten Dollar, AU58 Only 1,500 Pieces Struck Second Rarest With Motto O-Mint Eagle



3299 1879-O AU58 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. With just 1,500 pieces struck, the 1879-O has the second lowest mintage of any eagle from New Orleans. It is the second rarest With Motto ten dollar from this mint after the 1883-O, and the fourth rarest eagle in terms of overall rarity after the 1883-O, 1859-O, and 1841-O. There are 70-80 pieces known with slightly more than two dozen in the various About Uncirculated grades and another three or four in Uncirculated.

This date saw little use in commerce and most were shipped overseas or to Southern banks; as a result, the surfaces on nearly all known 1879-O eagles are extensively abraded. These marks tend to be enhanced by the reflective surfaces which are seen on nearly every known example. On this particular piece, the fields display the expected reflectivity, and while abrasions are present they are not as deep as usually seen. The strike is strong throughout and the bright yellow-gold surfaces show a few faint streaks of red, perhaps alloy streaks.

The Jacobson coin was obtained by private treaty in 2007 and it represents excellent quality for the date and grade. Since the spring of 2006, just two PCGS AU58 1879-O eagles have sold at auction and these brought \$49,938 in September 2015 and \$51,700 in March 2017. Heritage has not sold a PCGS AU58 since April 2006.

The finest known 1879-O, a PCGS MS61, is off the market indefinitely, as is the second finest, an NGC MS61. This choice PCGS AU58 is likely the nicest 1879-O eagle the advanced collector of New Orleans eagles is likely to have a chance of owning.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265P, PCGS# 8685

1879-S Ten Dollar, MS63 Conditionally Scarce





MS62, but it is rare in MS63 and virtually unknown finer. PCGS has graded just six pieces in MS63 with a single coin better: an MS65. There have been four sales at auction for this date since late 2012 with the most recent being Heritage (3/2019), lot 3295, that sold for \$4,920. The present coin is outstanding for the grade, showing tan-gold luster and bold definition of the devices. Neither side has singular abrasions of note.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265R, PCGS# 8686

1880 Eagle, MS64 Conditionally Scarce P-Mint





3301 1880 MS64 PCGS. CAC. This date is moderately scarce in MS64, but it is rare any finer with the finest known a single MS65+ graded by PCGS. That coin brought a strong \$31,200 in the Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2018), lot 4375. This more accessible MS64 coin displays sharp detail and vibrant lemon-gold surfaces. Only faint surface grazes are seen with a loupe, preventing Gem classification.

Ex: Baltimore Auction (Bowers and Merena, 11/2006), lot 3835, where it brought \$7,188.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265S, PCGS# 8687

1880-CC Ten Dollar Liberty, AU58 Challenging in High Grade





3302 1880-CC AU58 PCGS. Variety 1-B. The 1880-CC is the second most available date from this mint struck in the 1880s. It has become somewhat available in the higher About Uncirculated grades but remains rare in Uncirculated with no more than four or five pieces known. The finest 1880-CC eagle is an NGC/CAC MS62 that realized an amazing \$90,000 as part of the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4306. A second MS62 was graded many years ago by NGC and it has not been seen since it was sold for \$27,600 in the 2005 FUN Auction. Only one PCGS AU58 1880-CC eagle has sold at auction since July 2013 and it brought \$10,200 at the FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2019), lot 5796.

With Uncirculated examples of this date now priced out of reach for most collectors, this nice AU58 represents a smart purchase for the savvy specialist. Barely a trace of wear is seen across the devices and in the fields, with the peripheral fields retaining ample luster. The rich lemon-gold coloration is original.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265T, PCGS# 8688

1880-O Ten Dollar, MS62 Likely the Second-Finest Known CAC Approved





3303 1880-O MS62 PCGS. CAC. Variety 2. The 1880-O is the third scarcest With Motto eagle from New Orleans after the rare 1883-O and 1879-O issues. Due to recent finds in European hoards, it has become more obtainable in circulated grades, but remains rare in Uncirculated with fewer than 10 pieces extant.

This is the second finest known 1880-O eagle and it is exceeded only by a PCGS MS64 which sold in the Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 3/2017), lot 3120 for a record-smashing \$129,250. The Jacobson coin is the next highest graded by PCGS (and the only MS62 from this service). The third finest is likely the NGC MS62 in the New England Collection.

This piece has never before appeared for sale at auction and it represents an important opportunity for the advanced collector of New Orleans eagles. CAC endorsed, it displays satiny, minimally marked luster in rich straw-gold hues. Eye appeal is outstanding for the grade. CAC: 1 in 62, 0 finer (1/20).

Ex: Cajun Collection of New Orleans Gold Coinage (sold by Douglas Winter Numismatics in 2019); obtained via private treaty from Douglas Winter Numismatics in January 2019.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265U, PCGS# 8689

1880-S Eagle, MS64 Incredible Eye Appeal





1880-S MS64 PCGS. This is a common date in grades up through MS63 but it is scarce in MS64. At the end of 2019, PCGS had still not graded an 1880-S eagle in MS65 or higher. Surprisingly, only five PCGS MS64 examples of this date have sold at auction since 2006 and the most recent price realized at auction was a strong \$8,400 set by Heritage in the 2018 ANA Signature, lot 4250. That coin was approved by CAC and it is high end for the grade.

This piece has been off the market for nearly a decade and it represents the best available quality for the issue. It has a peachgold center framed by a slender peripheral band of sea-green toning. The strike is intricate and there are no detracting marks.

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2012), lot 4661, where it sold for \$7,638.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265V, PCGS# 8690

1881 Ten Dollar, MS64 Vibrantly Lustrous, Green Label Holder





3305 1881 MS64 PCGS. As one might expect for an issue with a mintage of 3.8 million business strikes, the 1881 eagle is easily located through MS64. Gems are rare and PCGS still has graded just a single coin finer (12/19).

This is an uncommonly choice coin for the grade that is housed in an older PCGS holder and it has not been offered for sale since 2006. Luster is frosted and displays rich orange-gold color. Abrasions are pleasantly absent.

Ex: American Numismatic Rarities (6/2006), lot 2605, where it sold for \$5,060.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265W, PCGS# 8691

1881-CC Eagle, AU58 Substantial Remaining Luster





3306 1881-CC AU58 PCGS. Variety 1-A. By a large margin, this is the most available Carson City eagle in circulated grades until the common issues from the 1890s. There are dozens of 1881-CC eagles known in AU58 and this is a popular grade for this issue as Uncirculated pieces are expensive and fairly difficult to locate.

Fewer PCGS AU58 1881-CC eagles have appeared for sale at auction in the last decade than one would think, given the current PCGS population of 38 pieces in this grade. There have been seven auction appearances with the most recent from the Dallas Signature (Heritage, 12/2018), lot 4304, where it realized \$4,440. The Jacobson coin is a well-struck, high quality example. Impressive peripheral luster is surprisingly devoid of bothersome abrasions.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 265X, PCGS# 8692

1881-O Ten Dollar, AU55 Conditionally Challenging





3307 1881-O AU55 PCGS. Variety 1. Thanks to overseas hoards, this date has become far more available than it was as recently as a decade ago. However, the 1881-O remains rare in Uncirculated with fewer than a dozen pieces known and virtually all of them fall in the MS60 to MS61 grade range. The 1881-O remains a date that is not regularly seen with natural color and more than 90% of the known pieces — even those in the Condition Census — are plagued by excessive abrasions. Four 1881-O eagles graded AU55 by PCGS sold at auction in 2019 and prices ranged from a low of \$3,120 to a high of \$4,320. This Choice AU coin is sharply detailed, with remaining luster beneath the delicate honey-gold surfaces. Population: 21 in 55, 22 finer (1/20).

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2015), lot 7233, where it sold for \$3,877.50.

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1881-S Ten Dollar Liberty, MS63 CAC Endorsed, Among the Finest at PCGS





3308 1881-S MS63 PCGS. CAC. Ex: The Fairmont Collection. The 1881-S eagle is an unusual date in that it is common in grades through MS63 but it is virtually unknown finer. In fact, the best PCGS has graded are a pair of MS63+ coins. The high-grade rarity of this date is attributable to the shipment of coins that were loose in bags to overseas sources; in the process of being transported, they were subject to contact with other coins. The Jacobson coin is lustrous and sharp, and the yellow-gold surfaces are devoid of significant distractions. Population: 66 in 63 (2 in 63+), 0 finer. CAC: 5 in 63, 0 finer (1/20).

Ex: Fairmount Collection; ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4256, where it sold for \$1,020.

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1882 Eagle, MS64 The Finest Quality Generally Obtainable





3309 1882 MS64 PCGS. As with a number of common date Liberty Head eagles from this era, the 1882 can be located through MS64 but it is rare in Gem condition. The only piece graded higher than MS64+ at PCGS is an incredible CAC-approved MS66 (housed in an old green label holder and likely an MS67 or even a bit finer by today's standards), which brought an equally incredible \$64,625 as lot 3472 in the 2016 ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2016).

This PCGS MS64 would be nearly impossible to locate nicer and it takes a really dedicated collector to spring for the above-mentioned finest known 1882, should it become available again. Luster, in all of its abundance, displays rich peach-gold and yellow hues across surfaces that lack unsightly flaws. Strike sharpness is outstanding.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2010), lot 4046, where it realized \$3,220.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2662, PCGS# 8695

1882-CC Ten Dollar, AU55 Better Carson City Issue





3310 1882-CC AU55 PCGS. Variety 2-A. The mintage for this issue is a low 6,764 pieces, and the 1882-CC is comparable in overall rarity to the 1883-CC and is scarcer than the 1884-CC. There are an estimated 200-250 examples known with the majority in lower grades. Choice AU is about as nice as this issue is found and AU58s are rare. This date has remained rare in Uncirculated with just two or three coins known, the finest of which is a single PCGS MS63.

For most collectors, a nice AU55 is a sensible grade for this issue. AU58s typically sell for double the price of an AU55 and there is often not enough of a visual difference to justify this extra cost. The present coin has relatively smooth surfaces with deep orange-gold patina and elements of luster.

Since the beginning of 2010, only six PCGS AU55 examples of this date have sold at auction and this includes a high-end piece that brought a healthy \$26,400 in the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4310.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2663, PCGS# 8696

1882-O Ten Dollar, MS60 Housed in a Green Label Holder





- 3311 1882-O MS60 PCGS. Variety 1. The 1882-O is the most available of the low-mintage trio of New Orleans eagles made between 1880 and 1882. It has become relatively available in circulated grades from hoards that have been uncovered in Europe. Uncirculated examples remain rare with around a dozen known; mostly in the MS60 to MS61 range. There are only two pieces known in PCGS MS63:
 - **1. MS63 PCGS. CAC.** Harry Bass Collection, Part IV (Bowers and Merena, 11/2000), lot 743, where it sold for \$13,800; New England Collection via Douglas Winter Numismatics.
 - **2. MS63 PCGS**. ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2007), lot 1950, where it brought \$37,375.

The Jacobson coin is listed in the Condition Census for this date in Doug Winter's recent book on New Orleans gold. It is one of two PCGS MS60 1882-O eagles known in a green label holder; the other brought \$12,600 in the Heritage 2/2018 sale of the Admiral Collection. This piece is well-struck and beautifully toned in shades of deep orange-red, with glints of hazel-silver near the rims and on the high points.

Ex: Baltimore Signature (Heritage, 3/2009), lot 3106, where it realized \$7,475.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55GJ, PCGS# 8697

1882-S Eagle, MS63 Underrated San Francisco Issue





3312 1882-S MS63 PCGS. This date remains scarce in MS63 and it is rare any finer. PCGS has a current population of just one each in MS63+, MS64, and MS65 (12/19). The current finest known is an NGC MS65 coin sold by Heritage for \$28,200 in the Beverly Hills Signature (11/2014). The Jacobson MS63 piece has attractive rose toning over brilliant and lustrous yellow surfaces with sharp design motifs and trivial marks.

Ex: Beverly Hills Signature (Heritage, 11/2011), lot 4372; Philadelphia Auction (Stack's Bowers, 9/2013), lot 3455, where it realized \$4,113. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 55GK, PCGS# 8698

1883 Ten Dollar Liberty, MS63 Important CAC Approved Example





3313 1883 MS63 PCGS. CAC. The 1883 is one of the more unusual common date Liberty Head eagles of this era. It is easily located in grades through MS63, but it remains rare above this. The most recent (12/19) PCGS population shows five coins graded MS63+ with only four pieces finer, all in MS64. There is a single Gem currently known and it brought \$34,500 in Goldberg Auctions (10/2000), lot 1055. It is possible that a few more MS64s will be discovered in overseas holdings, but it is unlikely that any more Gems will appear.

The last CAC-approved PCGS MS63 1883 eagle to sell at auction brought \$900 in the Dallas Signature (Heritage, 11/2018), lot 4121. The Jacobson coin is sharp and vibrantly lustrous, showing rich straw-gold and lemon-yellow color. Only trivial signs of contact are present, hence the CAC endorsement. Ex: Simpson-Hall.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2666, PCGS# 8699

1883-CC Ten Dollar, AU55 Undervalued Carson City Eagle





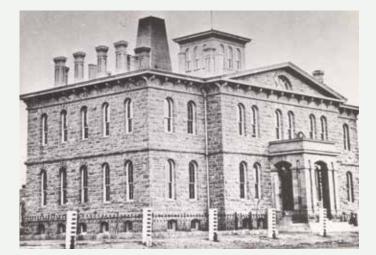
3314 1883-CC AU55 PCGS. Variety 1-A. The 1883-CC is the scarcest of the five Carson City eagles made during the 1880s. It is an underappreciated issue and many of the examples graded AU55 or even AU58 by the two services show weakness of strike and appear to lack originality. An AU55 is about as nice as this issue generally comes and an 1883-CC in AU58 is scarce. This date is rare in Uncirculated with three or so pieces known, all in the MS60 to MS61 grade range. Two PCGS MS61s were located in Europe a few years ago and these brought \$41,125 in the Winter Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 10/2014), lot 10025, and an impressive \$64,625 in the 2013 New Orleans Auction (Stack's Bowers, 4/2013), lot 1360.

Since June 2008, there have been just five auction records for this date in PCGS AU55, and only one of these (from Heritage's Dallas Signature, April 2017) could be termed "choice."

This attractive Choice AU specimen exhibits sharply detailed design elements, with just a trace of high-point wear. The lightly abraded yellow and greenish-gold surfaces are lustrous and appealing. In our opinion, this date is undervalued when compared to the 1880-CC, 1882-CC, and 1884-CC.

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 2007, where it realized \$6,900.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2667, PCGS# 8700



1883-O Ten Dollar, AU50, Gold CAC Label Outstanding Quality for the Grade Premier Rarity, Just 800 Coins Struck





3315 1883-O AU50 PCGS. Gold CAC. Variety 1. The 1883-O is the rarest New Orleans eagle of both No Motto and With Motto design types, and it has the lowest mintage of any gold coin from this mint with just 800 pieces struck. It trails just two double eagles — the 1854-O and the 1856-O — for the honor of the rarest gold coin from this mint and it is far more affordable than its double eagle counterparts.

An estimated 45 to 55 examples are known of this date with around a dozen in the various About Uncirculated grades and another two or three pieces in mint condition. The two finest known are a PCGS MS61 in the Tyrant Collection, which is ex: Simpson/Hall, and an NGC MS61 that was sold via private treaty by Douglas Winter Numismatics in January 2008 and had sold as an NGC MS60 in the ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/1999), lot 8139.

The Jacobson coin is a remarkable 1883-O eagle as it is housed in an old green label PCGS holder and is conservatively graded. The surfaces are reddish tinted and the fields retain significant prooflikeness, as always. However, this piece lacks the usual heavy abrasions seen on almost all examples, which goes far toward explaining the Gold CAC sticker. This is the only 1883-O eagle with a CAC gold label (indicating that CAC regards it as undergraded), and it is clearly the single most valuable and important Liberty Head eagle of any design type with a CAC gold sticker.

For the collector who wants all the "bells and whistles" possible, this is the ultimate 1883-O eagle. Beyond its rarity, it is one heckuva coin as well.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2668, PCGS# 8701

1883-S Eagle, MS63 Low-Mintage Issue Tied for Second Finest Certified





3316 1883-S MS63 PCGS. The 1883-S is scarce in lower Uncirculated grades, but it remains rare in MS63 and unique at PCGS in grades higher than this. The single finest known is a beautiful PCGS MS66 that brought \$36,800 in the FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2005), lot 30645.

The mintage figure of this date is low enough to lead us to believe that it will remain scarce in MS63 and higher grades, although we would not be surprised if a number of MS60 to MS62 examples are located in overseas hoards. Only three PCGS MS63 1883-S eagles have sold at auction since May 2013 with the most recent bringing \$7,750 at David Lawrence (2/2019), lot 7423. This piece exhibits the strong, frosted mint luster one would expect from an S-mint product. The strike is strong throughout, and a few medium-sized abrasions are the limits to the MS63 grade. Population: 7 in 63, 1 finer (1/20).

Ex: Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 5/2013), lot 2543, where it realized \$8,519.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2669, PCGS# 8702

1884 Ten Dollar Liberty, MS63 Problem-Free for This Often Problematic Issue





3317 1884 MS63 PCGS. This date was formerly rare in MS63 but at least a dozen pieces — if not more — have come onto the market in the last few years from overseas hoards. In grades higher than this, though, the 1884 eagle remains rare as seen by a current PCGS population of five pieces in MS64 and just one finer, graded MS65 (12/19).

MS63 seems like good value for this issue. This grade still gives the knowledgeable collector a nice coin for the grade at around one-fifth the price of a low-population MS64. Because so many surviving examples were stored overseas for decades, abrasions are usually a problem. This is a sharply detailed piece with no mentionable marks, strong eye appeal, and softly frosted mint luster.

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 2010, where it realized \$3,738.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 554S, PCGS# 8703

1884-CC Eagle, AU55 CAC Approved Example





3318 1884-CC AU55 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1-A. After 9,925 eagles were produced at Carson City in 1884, this mint did not strike the denomination again until 1890. The 1884-CC becomes difficult to locate — and expensive — in any grade above AU55, and it remains a rare issue in Uncirculated with an estimated seven or eight pieces currently known.

This is one of seven 1884-CC eagles in AU55 that have been approved by CAC (with eight finer) and it is a choice, attractive example that would be difficult to improve upon. The sharply detailed design elements are lightly worn and the orange-gold surfaces show the expected number of minor abrasions for the grade.

Since early 2011, three PCGS AU55 1884-CC eagles have sold at auction, and two were CAC-approved. These brought \$7,200 in the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 6/2018), and \$6,600 in the Premier Session (Legend, 11/2017). Population: 26 in 55, 27 finer. CAC: 7 in 55, 8 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266B, PCGS# 8704

1884-S Eagle, MS63 Tied For Finest Certified





3319 1884-S MS63 PCGS. As recently as a decade ago, the 1884-S eagle was a rare date in MS63. With the addition of a decent number of nice pieces into the market, it is now only "scarce." However, this issue remains unknown at PCGS above MS63. Only one PCGS MS63 has sold at public auction since April 2016 and it brought \$2,880 at the ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4266. Deep orange-gold color is seen across each side with a faint glimmer of green around the margins. Lightly abraded. Ex: FUN Signature (1/2013), lot 7366, where it realized \$5,581.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 554U, PCGS# 8705

1885 Eagle, MS63 Few Finer Pieces Known





3320 1885 MS63 PCGS. As with the 1884, this date used to be scarce in MS63, but a number of choice pieces have entered the market beginning around five years ago. Today, the 1885 is fairly easy to locate in this grade but it remains scarce in MS64 and it is rare in Gem. The unquestioned finest known is from the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4314, graded MS66 by NGC and approved by CAC, which sold for a whopping \$66,000.

This coin will sell for just a small premium over generic levels for the issue but it represents a lot of "bang for the buck" as do many of the eagles from the early-to-mid 1880s. Luster is soft and abundant, forming bands of peach-orange cartwheels on each side. Abrasions are light and undisturbing, and there is a hint of reflectivity in the fields. Population: 51 in 63, 15 finer (1/20). Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 10/2006), lot 2965, where it sold for

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266D, PCGS# 8706

1885-S Ten Dollar, MS63 Rare CAC-Approved Example





3321 1885-S MS63 PCGS. CAC. In MS63, the 1885-S eagle is essentially a generic date but it is rare in MS64. Surprisingly, PCGS has yet to grade a single example in MS65 or finer (12/19). Only one example of this date graded MS63 was sold at auction in all of 2019 and it lacked a CAC sticker. This piece is one of only eight coins in this and finer condition with CAC recognition. Detail is sharp, and the peach-yellow luster is just as luminous on the devices as it is in the fields, where myriad unimportant abrasions are barely noticed. CAC: 7 in 63, 1 finer (12/19).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 554W, PCGS# 8707

1886 Ten Dollar, MS64 The Simpson-Hall Coin





3322 1886 MS64 PCGS. CAC. Ex: Simpson-Hall. An MS64 coin represents the ultimate grade for this underappreciated issue since there is just one piece graded finer at PCGS, an MS64+. The finest 1886 eagle we have seen was a PCGS/CAC MS64 in an old green label holder that brought a stunning \$31,200 in the Admiral Collection (Heritage, 2/2018), lot 4315. Most observers graded this coin an MS65+ or better. That said, the coin does not appear to have graded MS65 or finer; someone owns a very expensive — albeit very nice — MS64.

Since the beginning of 2010, only three PCGS MS64 1886 eagles have sold at auction. This coin is one of only seven pieces graded MS64 by PCGS with a single coin finer, the above-cited 64+ (12/19), yet it is relatively affordable. Rich antique-gold luster with yellowish tendencies adorns each side, complementing sharp design elements. Minimal signs of contact are discernible. Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266F, PCGS# 8708

1886-S Eagle, MS64 A Challenging Acquisition in High Grade





3323 1886-S MS64 PCGS. The 1886-S is significantly more available than its Philadelphia counterpart, but it is not a common date in MS64. Gems are rare and the small number that exist trace their origin to the Saddle Ridge Hoard. The finest 1886-S eagles to appear on the market are from a small group of PCGS MS64+ pieces. This example softly and beautifully lustrous, yielding peachgold and greenish hues on the obverse with deeper lilac and orangegold reverse coloration. The strike is sharp. Population: 48 in 64 (8 in 64+), 4 finer (1/20).

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2007), lot 3199, where it realized \$5.463.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 554Y, PCGS# 8709

1887 Ten Dollar, MS62 Low-Mintage Issue





3324 1887 MS62 PCGS. The mintage for circulation strike 1887 eagles was only 53,600 pieces (the lowest at Philadelphia since 1877), and this date is relatively scarce in MS62. The 1887 is rare in MS63, and PCGS has graded just two coins finer, both MS64.

The fact that this coin "only" grades MS62 is a good indication of its scarcity in higher grades. Satiny luster complements sharp detail on both sides, with cartwheel bands of yellow-gold color attracting the eye, transitioning to reflectivity when tilted beneath a light. Population: 29 in 62 (1 in 62+), 8 finer (1/20).

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2009), lot 5582, where it sold for \$3.593.75.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266H, PCGS# 8710

1887-S Ten Dollar, MS64 Conditionally Scarce Issue, CAC-Approved





3325 1887-S MS64 NGC. CAC. In grades through MS63, this issue is little more than a generic issue, but MS64s are much scarcer than generally realized with just five pieces graded by PCGS and only one better, an MS64+. The finest known is a single NGC MS65 that brought a strong \$25,850 at the Americana Auction (Stack's Bowers, 2/2015), lot 2570.

There are just three MS64 examples of this date that have been stickered at CAC with none finer (1/20). This coin is vibrantly lustrous and sharp. Original orange-gold color lightens toward the centers, complementing a lack of significant abrasions.

Since 2006, five PCGS MS64 1887-S eagles have sold at auction with four of these in sales since the beginning of 2013. The most recent record was in the Regency Auction XIII (Legend, 9/2015), lot 272, a non-CAC coin.

Ex: Stack's Bowers (10/2006), lot 2253, where it brought \$4,312.50. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 5552, PCGS# 8711

1888 Eagle, MS63 Housed in a Green Label Holder





3326 1888 MS63 PCGS. CAC. This sounds like a broken record (and we are only through 1888) but this is another date that has a similar rarity profile: easy to find up through MS62, rare in MS63, and unavailable higher. In fact, the 1888 was essentially unknown above MS62 until around a decade ago; even today, PCGS has a population of only seven pieces in MS63 with one finer, a 63+ (12/19).

Since the beginning of 2010 there have been four PCGS MS63 1888 eagles sold at auction and only one since January 2015: a coin sold in the ANA Auction (Heritage, 8/2019), lot 4750, for \$6,600. This piece is fully struck and satiny with rich orange-gold luster that shows wisps of lemon-yellow intermingled.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266V, PCGS# 8712

1888-O Ten Dollar Liberty, MS62 Conditionally Elusive O-Mint Date





3327 1888-O MS62 PCGS. Variety 1. After a five-year hiatus, New Orleans resumed production of eagles with the 1888-O. This date is common in grades through MS62, slightly scarce in MS63, and unique finer with only a single PCGS/CAC MS64 currently known. This piece will be more accessible for the collector from a grade standpoint, although the quality that it displays for the MS62 level is sure to attract many collectors. Luster shimmers as it rolls across the satiny surfaces, illuminating sharp design elements and rich greenish-gold patina. Only faint signs of surface contact limit the grade.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266L, PCGS# 8713

1888-S Eagle, MS63 Seldom Offered Finer





3328 1888-S MS63 PCGS. This date is a generic issue in MS63, but it is scarce in MS64, and unknown finer. Peach and orange accents provide a pleasing appearance throughout attractive luster. A tiny spot of as-made struck-in grease is present near the center of the obverse but is only noticed under a loupe. An encapsulated thread appears near the E in AMERICA. PCGS and NGC combined have awarded higher numeric grades to only 17 examples (1/20). Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2013), lot 5283.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266M, PCGS# 8714

1889 Ten Dollar, MS61 Low-Mintage Issue





3329 1889 MS61 PCGS. The 1889 has the lowest number of circulation strikes for any Liberty Head eagle struck after 1883. Until a few years ago, this date was very scarce in MS61 but discoveries of coins in overseas sources have made this date more available in MS61. It remains scarce in MS62 and only one finer coin has been graded at PCGS, an MS62+. This piece shows expected prooflike reflectivity over orange-gold surfaces with a peppering of light abrasions but a bold strike. Population: 33 in 61, 12 finer (1/20).

Ex: Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 5-6/2012), lot 5147.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266N, PCGS# 8715

1889-S Ten, MS63 Vibrant Mint Luster





3330 1889-S MS63 PCGS. The 1889-S eagle is a generic issue in grades through MS63 and it is moderately scarce in MS64. Only one Gem is known — graded MS65+ at PCGS — and it brought a stunning \$52,875 (as a PCGS MS65) in Heritage's New York Signature (11/2013). It was later sold as part of David Hall's set *en bloc* to collector Bob Simpson. This collectible MS63 coin displays vibrant orange-gold luster and sharp detail. Only light field marks are present, none being particularly bothersome.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267L, PCGS# 8716

1890 Eagle, MS63 Scarce and Underrated





3331 1890 MS63 PCGS. CAC. Ex: Simpson-Hall. The 1890 is common in grades through MS62, but it remains scarce in MS63, and it is rare above this with just one each in MS63+, MS64, and MS65, all at PCGS (12/19). The only Gem to sell at auction since 1995 realized \$16,450 in the ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2016), lot 4314.

Only five PCGS-certified MS63 1890 eagles have sold at auction since early 2008. The most recent transaction was in Heritage (3/2019), lot 4276, where that coin brought \$2,640. No CAC-approved MS63 has crossed the block in recent years. Well-struck design elements yield satiny luster, complementing cartwheel bands in the fields and original peach-orange color overall. Population: 17 in 63 (1 in 63+), 2 finer. CAC: 2 in 63, 0 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266R, PCGS# 8717

1890-CC Ten Dollar, MS61 Reflective Fields





3332 1890-CC MS61 PCGS. Variety 1-A. The 1890-CC eagle marks the first time this denomination was struck at the Carson City mint since 1884. It is common in grades through MS62, but scarce in MS63, and rare any finer. The highest graded coin at PCGS is a single MS64 that set a record for this issue when it brought \$80,500 in the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 5/2006). It later resold in Stack's Bowers 2012 ANA auction for \$54,625 as part of the Battle Born Collection.

Original apricot toning enriches this satiny and boldly impressed representative. A glass reveals small marks, but the overall appearance is clean for the usually abraded MS61 level. Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2008), lot 4451, where it brought \$4.025

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266S, PCGS# 8718

1891 Eagle, CAC Endorsed MS64+ Condition Census Specimen





3333 1891 MS64+ PCGS. CAC. Ex: Simpson-Hall. The 1891 is common in grades through MS63, but it is a rare issue in MS64, and it is currently unknown finer at PCGS (NGC has graded a single piece in MS65). PCGS has certified just five examples in MS64, including this MS64+ specimen (12/19). The two most recent sales occurred in 2019 when examples brought \$10,200 in July and \$10,250 in February. It should be noted that neither of these pieces was CAC approved and it is likely that the Jacobson coin is a strong candidate for finest-known for the issue.

This Plus-graded Choice specimen offers sharply detailed design elements and well-preserved apricot-gold surfaces that radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides. Overall visual appeal is terrific. Population: 5 in 64 (1 in 64+), 0 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266T, PCGS# 8719

1891-CC Ten Dollar, MS63 Ex: Pittman, FS-501





3334 1891-CC/CC FS-501 MS63 PCGS. CAC. Variety 4-C. Ex: Pittman. By a large margin, the 1891-CC is the most obtainable Carson City eagle in all grades. It is common through MS63. In MS64, however, this date is surprisingly rare (only four have been graded by PCGS). The only Gem known is an NGC MS65 that brought a record-setting \$74,750 in Heritage's Long Beach Signature (9/2010), lot 5471; it later brought \$58,750 in Stack's Bowers' ANA Auction (8/2012), lot 11036.

This example has a great pedigree and it is clearly nicer than the majority of 1891-CC eagles graded MS63. Sharp devices join lovely straw-gold luster that reveals only minimal abrasions.

Ex: John Jay Pittman Collection (Åkers, 5/1988), lot 1970; Old West Collection (American Numismatic Rarities, 8/2006), lot 1357, where it sold for \$7,188.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266U, PCGS# 145728 Base PCGS# 8720

1892 Eagle, MS65 CAC Approved





3335 1892 MS65 PCGS. CAC. The 1892 is a generic issue through MS63, and it is moderately scarce in MS64. In Gem, however, it is rare with just three pieces graded MS65 by PCGS with two finer, an MS65+ and an MS66 (12/19).

The last auction appearance for an 1892 eagle certified by PCGS in MS65 is from the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 9/2002), lot 8477, which brought \$6,038.

This is the only 1892 eagle graded MS65 to have been stickered by CAC with none finer (12/19).

This spectacular Gem exhibits sharply detailed design elements and virtually flawless peach-gold surfaces that radiate vibrant mint luster throughout. For the collector seeking a special type coin to represent the Liberty Head With Motto ten dollar design, this piece is worth strong consideration.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266V, PCGS# 8721

1892-CC Ten Dollar, MS62+ Rarely Offered This Fine, FS-801





3336 1892-CC Tripled Die Reverse, FS-801, MS62+ PCGS. CAC. Variety 1-A. The 1892-CC is far scarcer than the common date 1891-CC eagle and it is not seen often in grades higher than MS62. The current PCGS population figures show two pieces certified in MS62+, one in MS63, and one in MS64 with none finer (12/19).

No PCGS MS62+ example of this date has ever sold at auction. The last CAC-approved PCGS MS62 was the Simpson-Hall coin that realized \$10,281 in the Regency Auction XIII (Legend, 9/2015), lot 276.

If one were available, a PCGS MS63 1892-CC eagle would likely bring in excess of \$25,000 to \$30,000, making this PCGS/CAC MS62+ an important alternative for the savvy specialist. Lustrous is radiant and bright yellow-gold in color. Strike sharpness is outstanding, and the surface preservation is manifested in the CAC green label. Population: 19 in 62 (2 in 62+), 2 finer. CAC: 4 in 62, 0 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266W, PCGS# 511600 Base PCGS# 8722

1892-O Eagle, MS62+ Rarely Seen Plus Designation





3337 1892-O MS62+ PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. The 1892-O is a common issue in grades through MS62, but it is scarce in MS63 with just seven currently graded as such by PCGS, and just one piece, an MS63+, has been graded higher (12/19).

This is a sensible coin for the New Orleans collector since an MS63 would likely bring at least twice what this nice MS62+ is likely to sell for. Nonetheless, it is high-end for the grade. Only five MS62s are Plus graded at PCGS (12/19). Luster glistens in strawgold hues, complementing sharp devices.

Ex: Fairmount Collection; ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4294, where it realized \$3,360.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266X, PCGS# 8723

1892-S Ten Dollar, MS63 Exceptional Surface Quality





3338 1892-S MS63 PCGS. The 1892-S has seen a considerable surge in population for coins in MS63 in the past few years. Nevertheless, this date remains rare in MS64 with just three pieces graded by PCGS; the finest known is a single PCGS MS65 that is ex: Eliasberg and Simpson/Hall. This lustrous lemon-gold example is sharply struck and has surprisingly few marks. A prize for the knowledgeable gold specialist. Population: 81 in 63 (5 in 63+), 4 finer (1/20). Ex: Parker Lee III Collection / FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2008), lot 4456, where it sold for \$3,37.50.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 266Y, PCGS# 8724

1893 Ten Dollar, MS64 Few Pieces Are Known Finer





3339 1893 MS64 NGC. CAC. The 1893 is among the more common 19th century Liberty Head eagles in grades through MS64. It is still rare in MS65 with just five pieces certified in that grade at PCGS and two in MS65+ (12/19). The finest known is a single NGC MS66, which sold for \$10,350 in Heritage's Exclusively Internet Auction (6/2004), lot 12073; it has not been seen since. The bold strike and copper-hued, antique-gold patina are instantly appealing. Brilliant cartwheel luster emanates from the satiny surfaces, and perusal under a loupe reveals only minuscule, grade-consistent abrasions.

Ex: Denver Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 2031, where it brought \$2,300.

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1893-CC Ten Dollar, MS62 CAC, A Rare and Important Opportunity





3340 1893-CC MS62 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1-A. The 1893-CC is numismatically significant as the final eagle struck at the Carson City mint. There were only 14,000 pieces produced, and while this date is reasonably obtainable in all circulated grades, it is rare in mint condition with an estimated 10 pieces known. The finest are a small group of MS62s, and only three of these are PCGS-graded and CAC-certified:

- **1. MS62 PCGS. CAC.** Regency Auction 30 (Legend, 1/2019), lot 433, where it brought \$49,938.
- 2. MS62 PCGS. CAC. Northern California Collection; Douglas Winter Numismatics, 8/2019; DL Hansen Collection.
- **3. MS62 PCGS. CAC.** Obtained by Harvey Jacobson from Douglas Winter Numismatics at the 2019 FUN show. **The present example.**

The current PCGS population of seven pieces in MS62 is incorrect as it appears that the coin sold in the Legend auction cited above was resubmitted a number of times. We are aware of just four 1893-CC eagles in PCGS MS62 (with none finer), and the Jacobson coin is likely the only example that will be available for a number of years to come.

This is among the more important coins in the entire collection as it combines condition rarity and attractive preservation in one neat package. Luster is satiny and original, yielding straw-gold and peach-lilac hues. The strike is sharp, and only light marks are apparent beneath a loupe.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2672, PCGS# 8726

1893-O Ten Dollar Liberty, MS63 Conditionally Scarce





3341 1893-O MS63 PCGS. Variety 1. The 1893-O is a common date in grades through MS62. It remains scarce in MS63 and is currently unknown graded higher than this. PCGS has a population of 13 coins in MS63 (12/19)

Since the start of 2011, only three PCGS-certified MS63 1893-O eagles have sold at auction. This piece yields soft, satiny wheatgold mint luster and sharp detail. Only the faintest surface contact marks are discernible, which is exceptional for the grade.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2673, PCGS# 8727

1893-S Eagle, MS63+ CAC-Approved





3342 1893-S MS63+ PCGS. CAC. This is a common issue in grades through MS63, but it is rare in MS64, and very rare finer. The three highest-graded examples at PCGS are an MS65, an MS66, and an MS67 (ex: Clapp/Eliasberg). The middle coin sold for a record \$43,125 in the FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2007), lot 3655.

This is the only MS63+ example of this date certified at PCGS, and given the relative unavailability (and high cost) of finer coins, this seems like a sensible piece for the condition-oriented Liberty Head eagle collector to add to a set. Both sides of this attractive Select Mint State example have satiny yellow luster with wisps of green color, especially near the borders. A small copper spot is noted between the eagle's beak and ribbon.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2012), lot 6572, where it realized \$3,450.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2674, PCGS# 8728

1894 Ten Dollar, MS63 Lustrous, Appealing Surfaces





3343 1894 MS63 PCGS. The 1894 is among the most common dates of this type and it is a generic issue in grades through MS64.

This date remains rare in MS65, but a quick look at auction records shows the danger of buying common coins in uncommon grades. When this date had a population of one with none finer, the sole Gem 1894 eagle sold at auction in the Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2011), lot 5430, for \$26,450. But the second coin to achieve this grade sold twice in 2019; once for \$7,800 (in May) and again in September for \$4,560.

This collectible MS63 piece displays sharp detail and rich orange-gold luster. Only a few light contact marks are in effect. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2675, PCGS# 8729

1894-O Ten, MS62 Slightly Reflective Fields





3344 1894-O MS62 PCGS. Variety 3. A few decades ago, the 1894-O eagle was scarce in MS62 and all but unknown finer. In 2020, it is common in MS62, somewhat scarce in properly graded MS63, and rare finer. The finest known is a sole NGC MS65, a coin that brought \$21,850 in the September 2005 American Numismatic Rarities auction. This coin displays subtle reflectivity in the fields amid rich lemon-gold patina. The strike is sharp and abrasions are minimal.

Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 11/2007), lot 2165, where it sold for \$2,070; Boston Rarities Auction (Bowers and Merena, 8/2010), lot 1771, where it realized \$1,725.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2676, PCGS# 8730

1894-S, MS61 Scarcer S-Mint Issue





3345 1894-S MS61 PCGS. The 1894-S eagle is a seldom-seen, low-mintage issue with just 25,000 pieces produced. It is scarce in Uncirculated with virtually every known piece in the MS60 to MS61 grade range, and characterized by scuffy surfaces. The finest known are a small group of MS62s, the last of which to sell at auction brought \$12,000 in the ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 1309.

This piece has been off the market since 2006, and when Harvey Jacobson acquired it, it was regarded as among the finer 1894-S eagles extant. The design elements are sharply detailed throughout and the lightly marked yellow-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster, with outstanding eye appeal. Population: 12 in 61, 7 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2677, PCGS# 8731

1895 Liberty Eagle, MS65+ Tied for Finest at PCGS





3346 1895 MS65+ PCGS. CAC. The 1895 is a generic issue in grades through MS64, but it is rare in Gem with just two pieces in MS65 and two in MS65+ at PCGS (12/19). A solitary NGC MS67 is the finest coin known and it sold for \$29,900 in July 2005. This piece is tied with one other as the finest 1895 eagle graded by PCGS and it would make an outstanding type coin for the collector seeking a single high-grade Liberty Head eagle to represent the With Motto design. This piece displays razor-sharp design elements set against frosty light reddish-gold surfaces that are devoid of bothersome abrasions.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2016), lot 5624; ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2016), lot 4316, where it realized \$14,100.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2678, PCGS# 8732

1895-O Ten Dollar, MS63





1895-O MS63 PCGS. Variety 2. This date was formerly rare in MS63 but a number of nice examples have been repatriated to the U.S. coin market after years abroad in overseas bank holdings. This date is still unknown finer than MS63+ and nice MS63s have dropped enough in value for many collectors to consider this date in a grade they may have shunned as recently as five years ago. The present example displays luminous, frosty mint luster and rich wheat-gold color.

Ex: ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2013), lot 5277, where it sold for \$5,561.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2679, PCGS# 8733

1895-S Eagle, MS61





3348 1895-S MS61 PCGS. CAC. Ex: The Fairmont Collection. The 1895-S is similar in overall rarity to the 1894-S, but it is slightly more available in Uncirculated condition. The vast majority of higher-grade pieces fall into the MS60 to MS62 range, but a small number of Superb pieces are known including at least one each graded MS66 and MS67 by PCGS.

The Jacobson coin is the only PCGS MS61 1895-S eagle to sell at auction since 2011 and it is among the few in this grade with CAC approval. Straw-gold luster is in abundance, and a small reed mark near star 6 is the only mentionable abrasion.

Ex: Fairmount Collection; ÁNA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4304, where it brought \$2,160.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267A, PCGS# 8734

1896 Ten Dollar, MS63 Eagle Housed in an Old Green Label Holder





3349 1896 MS63 PCGS. The 1896 is a generic issue in grades through MS63+. It remains slightly scarce in MS64, and PCGS has yet to grade an example of this date higher than MS64+. This impressive Select example displays sharply detailed design elements throughout and the lightly marked orange-gold surfaces surfaces show hints of lilac in selected areas. Vibrant mint luster adds to the terrific eye appeal.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267B, PCGS# 8735

1896-S Eagle, MS62 Green Label Holder





3350 1896-S MS62 PCGS. The mintage of this issue is significantly higher than for the 1894-S and 1895-S eagles, and the 1896-S is only moderately scarce in MS62. It is rare in MS63, and very rare finer; just one coin has been certified in MS64, MS65, and MS66 at PCGS. The finest known is the Clapp-Eliasberg MS68 graded by NGC. This piece, housed in a green label holder, is satiny with original reddish-gold coloration and strong detail. A couple of tiny ticks on Liberty's chin are all that are worthy of mention.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267C, PCGS# 8736

1897 Ten Dollar Liberty, MS65





3351 1897 MS65 PCGS. The 1897 eagle is a generic issue in grades through MS64. Gems are scarce with the current PCGS population standing at 15 pieces in MS65, one in MS65+, and four in MS66 (12/19).

For the collector seeking a high-grade example for type purposes, a date such as this 1897 seems significantly more interesting than the ubiquitous 1901-S. This piece is sharp and beautifully luminous, showcasing rich orange-gold and lilac hues across each side without the distraction of contact marks.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 26CH, PCGS# 8737

1897-O Ten, MS62 Elusive With CAC Endorsement





3352 1897-O MS62 PCGS. CAC. Variety 1. In MS62, the 1897-O is a common issue, but since examples in this grade are around one-third the price of an MS63 makes this grade level interesting for many collectors. The present example is satiny and uncommonly clean for the grade. The strike is typical on the lower obverse stars. Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2006), lot 2025, where it sold for \$2,530.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7LHC, PCGS# 8738

1897-S Eagle, MS62





3353 1897-S MS62 PCGS. In this grade, the 1897-S basically sells at a generic price level, but it is a slightly scarcer issue and one that is difficult to locate above MS63. This piece is especially attractive for the grade, showing rich orange-gold and tangerine color amid boldly struck devices. Light, scattered contact marks are typical of the grade.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267F, PCGS# 8739

1898 Ten Dollar, MS65 Lustrous, Colorful Surfaces





3354 1898 MS65 PCGS. The 1898 is common in grades through MS64. It is a scarcer issue in MS65 with just nine pieces so graded by PCGS (12/19) with three finer (one in MS65+ and two in MS66). This sharply struck representative displays luminous orange-gold patina over frosty underlying mint luster. A few faint grazes in the fields preclude an even finer grade, while the overall visual appeal is excellent.

Ex: Chicago Signature (Heritage, 4/2014), lot 6672, where it sold for \$7,638.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# $267G,\,PCGS\#\,8740$

1898-S Ten Dollar, MS62 A Jacobson Favorite





3355 1898-S MS62 PCGS. Even though this is one of the least valuable coins in the collection, it has great sentimental value to Harvey Jacobson. It was the first Liberty Head eagle he acquired. Purchased in 1975, this coin pre-dated Harvey's serious collecting of eagles by close to 30 years. The design elements are sharply detailed throughout and the pleasing orange-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267H, PCGS# 8741

1899 Liberty Eagle, MS64 Excellent Type Coin





3356 1899 MS64 PCGS. The 1899 is the most common 19th century issue of this type and it is easily located in grades through MS65+. This example is housed in an old green label holder and is choice for the assigned grade, with sharply detailed design elements throughout. The pleasing peach-gold surfaces are well-preserved, with vibrant mint luster on both sides.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267J, PCGS# 8742

1899-O Ten Dollar, MS63 Scarcer Late-Series Issue





3357 1899-O MS63 PCGS. CAC. Variety 4. The 1899-O is the scarcest eagle from New Orleans made after 1882. It was formerly rare in MS63 but discoveries in overseas banks have made this date more available in this grade. It remains rare in MS64 and MS65. The finest known is the amazing PCGS MS68+ Eliasberg coin that is now in the Simpson Collection. Many advanced students of this series consider it to be the single finest Liberty Head eagle in existence.

This coin has all the "bells and whistles" one could hope for as it is housed in an old green label holder and approved by CAC. The design elements are sharply detailed and the lustrous orange-gold surfaces show only minor signs of contact.

There were four prices realized for this issue in PCGS/CAC MS63 in the last two years with prices ranging from a low of \$8,225 (1/2019) to a high of \$9,600 (3/2018).

It is difficult to locate an 1899-O in grades higher than this, and if one were available it would likely bring more than double the price of a nice MS63.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267K, PCGS# 8743

1899-S Eagle, MS64 Green Label PCGS Holder





3358 1899-S MS64 PCGS. The 1899-S is basically a generic date in grades through MS63 but it is (currently) scarce in MS64 and rare in Gem. The finest known is the extraordinary PCGS MS68+ Eliasberg coin that sold for \$195,500 in the 2010 FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2010), lot 2218, (then graded as an NGC MS69).

This date has dropped precipitously in price in the last five years as the number graded in MS64 has risen due to overseas discoveries. When Harvey Jacobson bought this coin in 2013 it had a PCGS population of 12 pieces in MS64 with four finer. Today there are 16 graded MS64 with seven finer (12/19). One might not think that this fairly minor increase in population would have such an impact on this date's price, but this rise in availability has caused the price to drop considerably.

The coin displays deep lemon-gold color and vibrant luster, supported by sharply struck devices. Neither side has bothersome abrasions. Housed in a green label holder.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2013), lot 7387, where it realized \$6.169.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267L, PCGS# 8744

1900 Liberty Ten, MS65 Condition Rarity in Finer Grades





3359 1900 MS65 PCGS. The 1900 eagle is common in grades through MS65. This delightful Gem exhibits razor-sharp definition on all design elements and the well-preserved peach-gold surfaces radiate vibrant mint luster throughout. Overall eye appeal is terrific. This coin will be a welcome addition to a fine collection of Liberty eagles. Population: 34 in 65 (3 in 65+), 4 finer (1/20).

Ex: ANA Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 2043, where it brought \$6.900.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7LD2, PCGS# 8745

1900-S Ten Dollar Liberty, MS62 Lustrous and Appealing





3360 1900-S MS62 PCGS. The 1900-S is moderately scarce in grades through MS63 but it is currently rare in MS64 and finer. The finest known is a PCGS MS67 that last sold for \$47,725 in the New York Signature (Heritage, 7/2004), lot 8388. This attractive MS62 example offers sharply detailed design elements and lightly marked apricot-gold surfaces, with vibrant mint luster and outstanding eye appeal. Population: 40 in 62, 28 finer (1/20).

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 42AN, PCGS# 8746

1901 Liberty Eagle, MS64 Well-Preserved, Lustrous Surfaces





3361 1901 MS64 PCGS. This is a common date that is easily located in grades as high as MS66. This attractive type coin is sharply struck, but its formidable eye appeal derives from its unblemished fields and devices. Sweeping luster illuminates the light copper-gold and lime patina. Like its San Francisco counterpart from 1901, the 1901 Philadelphia eagle will always be common in Mint State, but superior quality pieces remain scarce relative to demand.

Ex: Denver Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 2044.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7LHF, PCGS# 8747

1901-O Ten Dollar, MS64 Rare Any Finer





3362 1901-O MS64 PCGS. Variety 2. Significant numbers of 1901-O tens have been repatriated to the American coin market over the last few decades, and this date — formerly rare in MS64 — is now more available. It is still rare in Gem condition with just a single coin graded finer than MS64+ at PCGS.

As a result of its new-found availability, prices for nice PCGS MS64 examples, such as this piece, have dropped dramatically and now a savvy collector should be able to find a nice coin such as this for less than \$5,000. This sharply detailed Choice example shows a die line through the Y in LIBERTY. The pleasing peachgold surfaces are lightly marked and lustrous, with outstanding eye appeal. Population: 23 in 64 (3 in 64+), 1 finer (1/20). From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles NGC ID# 267R, PCGS# 8748

1901-S Eagle, MS65 Attractive Type Coin





3363 1901-S MS65 PCGS. CAC. When a collector says "Gem Liberty Head eagle" what is generally referred to is a 1901-S. This is by far the most common date of this type and there are likely thousands extant in MS65 and higher-grade range. Splashes of orange coloration compete for territory with green-gold iridescence on the Jacobson coin. Strong mint luster sweeps throughout each side. Ex: Denver Signature (Heritage, 8/2006), lot 2049, where it sold for \$4.312.50.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267S, PCGS# 8749

1902 Ten Dollar, MS63 Collectible Late-Date Issue





3364 1902 MS63 PCGS. The 1902 eagle is common in grades through MS63. Gems remain rare with only four pieces currently graded MS65 by PCGS and only one coin — an MS66+ — finer (12/19). This piece is collectible for most enthusiasts. Strike sharpness is outstanding, and yellow-gold surfaces exude pleasing luster. A few light scuffs limit the numeric grade.

Ex: National Money Show Signature (Heritage, 3/2010), lot 2508, where it brought \$1,552.50.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267T, PCGS# 8750

1902-S Eagle, MS65 Rarely Offered in Finer Condition





3365 1902-S MS65 PCGS. The 1902-S is a common date in grades through MS65. There is a spectacular PCGS MS68+ known from the Eliasberg Collection that was obtained directly from the mint by the foresighted John Clapp, Sr. This accessible Gem example displays bold rendering of the devices and smooth, frosty peachgold and orange mint luster.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267U, PCGS# 8751

1903 Ten Dollar Liberty, MS65 Popular Type Coin Issue





3366 1903 MS65 PCGS. The 1903 is common in grades through MS64, but it is surprisingly scarce in MS65 with a current PCGS population of only seven Gems and three pieces certified finer (two in MS65+ and one in MS66).

Since the beginning of 2010, just one PCGS-graded MS65 1903 eagle has sold at auction and it brought \$4,800 in the Long Beach Signature (Heritage, 2/2019). The most recent auction price realized for a PCGS MS65+ was in Regency Auction 32 (Legend, 5/2019), lot 547, at \$6,463.

This Gem displays vibrant, satiny yellow-gold luster that illuminates sharp design elements. Neither side has distracting abrasions.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267V, PCGS# 8752

1903-O Ten Dollar, MS64 Attractive Natural Color





3367 1903-O MS64 PCGS. Variety 2. When Harvey Jacobson purchased this coin (see below for its provenance), the PCGS population was just six pieces certified MS64 and just one coin was finer. Fast forward nearly 14 years and the population of 1903-O eagles has soared to 24 coins in MS64 with still just a single coin graded finer (12/19). With the quadrupling in the number of MS64s, the price has dropped for these coins and a nice borderline Gem 1903-O eagle has become affordable. This piece is highly appealing for the grade, with vibrant, satiny luster that yields rich orange-gold color. Strike sharpness is outstanding.

Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2006), lot 4076, where it realized \$8,050.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267W, PCGS# 8753

1903-S Ten Dollar, MS66 Old Green Label Holder





in the Liberty Head eagle series although it is considerably more difficult to locate in MS64 and higher grades than the 1901-S. This example is housed in an old green label holder and is choice for the grade. This boldly struck Premium Gem exhibits swirling cartwheel mint luster and rich yellow-gold coloration with a pedigree-identifying copper alloy spot just right of star 8.

Ex: Dallas Signature (Heritage, 12/2017), lot 3277; Vanderbilt Collection / Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 3/2018), lot 10386.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267X, PCGS# 8754

1904 Eagle, CAC Approved MS64 Underrated Post-1900 Issue





3369 1904 MS64 PCGS. CAC. The 1904 is common in grades through MS63, but it is slightly scarce in MS64, and it remains rare in MS65 and higher. PCGS has graded two pieces MS65, and one each in MS65+, MS66, and MS67. CAC has approved 14 coins in MS64 with just two finer, both in MS65.

A nice PCGS-certified MS65 example of this date will probably cost around \$10,000. In our opinion, a PCGS/CAC MS64 coin that sells for around a quarter of the MS65 price represents much better value. This piece is bright, with reddish colored soft mint frost. The strike details are strong in all areas, and there are no abrasions worthy of comment.

Ex: Regency Auction XXIII (Legend, 10/2017), lot: 502, where it brought \$2,820.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 267Y, PCGS# 8755

1904-O Ten Dollar, MS63





3370 1904-O MS63 PCGS. Variety 1. The 1904-O is the second most available New Orleans With Motto eagle after the 1903-O. It is easily located in MS63, and MS64s are scarce but more available than a decade ago due to discoveries in overseas banks. This piece displays lustrous orange-gold surfaces with sharply struck devices. Preservation is pleasing for the grade.

Ex: FUN Auction (Bowers and Merena, 1/2010), lot 812, where it sold for \$3,220.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7LHK, PCGS# 8756

1905 Eagle, MS65 Exceptional Surfaces and Luster





3371 1905 MS65 PCGS. CAC. The 1905 eagle is common in grades through MS64. It is slightly scarce in MS65 and rare finer. The single highest graded is a PCGS-certified MS67+. For the grade, this piece is exceptional, showing fully struck, lustrous surfaces with lemon-gold, eye-appealing coloration. Neither side displays bothersome abrasions.

Ex: FUN Signature (Heritage, 1/2012), lot 6581.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7LD3, PCGS# 8757

1905-S Ten, MS63 Balance of Luster and Reflectivity





3372 1905-S MS63 PCGS. In MS63, the 1905-S remains a scarce issue, although there is always a possibility that a number of these will be located in overseas banks. MS64 examples are rare with just three pieces currently graded by PCGS (12/19). There is a single MS65 at PCGS, and the finest known 1905-S ten dollar by a large margin is the NGC-certified MS68 from the Clapp-Eliasberg Collection.

Since the end of 2009, only four PCGS-graded MS63 1905-S eagles have been sold at auction. The most recent auction price realized is from the ANA Auction (Stack's Bowers, 8/2018), lot 4336, where it sold for \$2,040. This coin is remarkably sharp and bright with satiny yellow-gold mint luster. Neither side exhibits bothersome abrasions, and the surfaces appear exceptional for the grade to the naked eye.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2683, PCGS# 8758

1906 Ten Dollar, MS64 Late-Series Type Coin





3373 1906 MS64 PCGS. This issue is a bit harder to locate in MS64 than a so-called generic issue but it certainly is not rare. However, it is difficult to locate (at this point) in Gem condition as PCGS has only graded nine pieces in MS65, and two each in MS66 and MS67.

There were four PCGS MS64 examples of this date sold at auction in 2018, but none in 2019. A PCGS-certified MS65 has not crossed the block since Heritage sold a coin for \$6,463 in their 2016 FUN Signature. This example displays remarkably smooth, satiny mint luster, yielding orange-gold and peach-yellow hues with sharp design elements.

Ex: Stack's Bowers (6/2006), lot 1489, where it brought \$3,162.50. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7JHG, PCGS# 8759

1906-D Eagle, MS64 First Denver Mint Issue





3374 1906-D MS64 PCGS. The 1906-D is a numismatically significant issue as it is the first Liberty Head eagle struck at the newly-opened Denver Mint. It is common in grades through MS64, and it is a popular issue because of its status. This sharply detailed Choice specimen exhibits well-preserved peach-gold surfaces that radiate vibrant mint luster from both sides. Eye appeal is terrific. Ex: Stack's Bowers (6/2006), lot 1490, where it sold for \$3,450. From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 7JHG, PCGS# 8760



Denver Mint, circa 1906

1906-O Ten Dollar, MS65+ A Condition Census Example Ex: Simpson/Hall Collection





3375 1906-O MS65+ PCGS. CAC. Ex: Simpson-Hall. The 1906-O is the final eagle produced at the New Orleans mint. It has become more available in lower Uncirculated grades due to significant numbers of coins located in the MS60 to MS62 range. This date remains rare and in demand in Gem condition but only two pieces have been graded MS65 by PCGS, along with two each in MS65+ and MS66. The currently untraced Eliasberg coin is said to grade MS66 to MS67.

The Jacobson coin is tied with the example that sold for \$26,400 as lot 3298 in the Heritage 3/2019 auction as the third finest graded by PCGS after a pair of MS66s (both of which have been off the market for decades).

This coin represents amazing quality for the date and grade, and it would make a wonderful type coin for the collector who seeks a single high-grade example of a With Motto eagle from New Orleans. Luster is beautifully preserved and radiant, yielding bright yellow-gold color and sharp devices. Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53FB, PCGS# 8761

1906-S Ten Dollar, MS64 Conditionally Scarce





3376 1906-S MS64 PCGS. The 1906-S is scarce in MS64 as seen by the current PCGS population of six coins in this grade and only six finer (12/19). The single finest known is a PCGS MS67 that last sold in February 2005 for \$28,750.

No PCGS-certified MS64 1906-S eagle has sold at auction since the Stack's Bowers' Rarities Auction (5/2016), lot 110, brought \$8,813. The most recent PCGS MS65 to sell at auction brought \$16,800 in Heritage's Dallas Signature (10/2019), lot 3291. A visually appealing example, with the reverse in particular displaying vibrant cartwheel luster, this near-Gem exhibits a sharp strike. The flashy apricot-gold color further adds to the attractiveness.

Ex: Central States Signature (Heritage, 4/2013), lot 5936.

From The Harvey \bar{B} . Jacobson, $\bar{J}r$. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 53FB, PCGS# 8762

1907 Eagle, MS65 CAC Approved





3377 1907 MS65 PCGS. CAC. The 1907 is the final eagle of this type struck at the Philadelphia mint. It is common in grades through MS64 and only moderately scarce in MS65. In grades higher than this, however, the 1907 Liberty Head eagle is rare with only two pieces graded MS65+ by PCGS, and a single coin better, graded MS66. This delightful Gem is sharply detailed throughout, with virtually flawless apricot-gold surfaces that radiate vibrant mint luster and outstanding eye appeal.

Ex: Regency Auction $\dot{X}X\dot{I}I$ (Legend, 7/2017), lot 495, where it realized \$4,700.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 2688, PCGS# 8763

1907-D Liberty Eagle, MS64 Denver Type Coin





3378 1907-D MS64 PCGS. The 1907-D is the second of just two dates of Liberty Head eagles made at the Denver mint. It is a scarcer issue than its counterpart, the 1906-D, and it is seldom seen above MS64+. In fact, PCGS has graded just three pieces in MS65 with none finer (12/19). This collectible Choice example displays sharp definition throughout each side, complementing softly frosted yellow-gold luster that is devoid of bothersome abrasions.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 268A, PCGS# 8764

1907-S Ten Dollar Liberty, MS63 Final-Year San Francisco Issue





3379 1907-S MS63 PCGS. Ex: Simpson-Hall. As of early 2020, the 1907-S eagle is a scarce issue in MS63 and a rare date in MS64 and finer, but this is likely to change in the coming years. Examples will undoubtedly be located in overseas bank hoards. PCGS has graded just one coin in MS64+, two in MS66, and one in MS66+, the last recently brought a stunning \$96,000 in the Rarities Night Baltimore Auction (Stack's Bowers, 10/2018), lot 2149.

The two most recent auction prices realized for this issue both occurred in 2018 — \$3,120 (8/2018) and \$2,640 (4/2018). This piece displays dazzling luster and a sharp strike, complementing rich orange-gold coloration.

Ex: Simpson-Hall Collection.

From The Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles. NGC ID# 38EP, PCGS# 8765

End of the Harvey B. Jacobson, Jr. Collection of Liberty Eagles

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- 9. Presentment of Bids: Non-Internet bids (including but not limited to podium, fax, phone and mail bids) and floor bids must be on-increment or at a half increment ("Cut Bid"). Any podium, fax, phone, or mail bids that do not conform to a full or half increment will be rounded up or down to the nearest full or half increment and this revised amount will be considered your high bid.
- 10. Auctioneer's Execution of Certain Bids. Auctioneer cannot be responsible for your errors in bidding or entry of bids. When identical mail or fax bids are submitted, preference is given to the first received. To ensure the greatest accuracy, written bids should be entered on the standard printed bid sheet and received by Auctioneer at least two business days prior to Auction start. Auctioneer is not responsible for executing mail bids or fax bids received on or after the day the first lot is sold, nor Internet bids submitted after the published closing time; nor is Auctioneer responsible for proper execution of bids submitted by telephone, mail, fax, email, Internet, or in person once Auction begins. Bids placed electronically via the internet may not be withdrawn until your written request is received and acknowledged by Auctioneer (FAX: 214-409-1425); such requests must state the reason, and may constitute grounds for withdrawal of bidding privileges. Lots won by mail Bidders will not be delivered at the Auction unless prearranged.
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Current Bid	Bid Increment	Current Bid	Bid Increment
< \$10	\$1	\$10,000 - \$19,999	\$1,000
\$10 - \$49	\$2	\$20,000 - \$49,999	\$2,000
\$50 - \$99	\$5	\$50,000 - \$99,999	\$5,000
\$100 - \$199	\$10	\$100,000 - \$199,999	\$10,000
\$200 - \$499	\$20	\$200,000 - \$499,999	\$20,000
\$500 - \$999	\$50	\$500,000 - \$999,999	\$25,000
\$1,000 - \$1,999	\$100	\$1,000,000 - \$1,999,999	\$50,000
\$2,000 - \$4,999	\$200	\$2,000,000 - \$9,999,999	\$100,000
\$5,000 - \$9,999	\$500	>= \$10,000,000	\$200,000

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- 14. The highest qualified Bidder recognized by the Auctioneer shall be the Buyer. In the event of a tie bid, the earliest bid received or recognized wins. In the event of any dispute between any Bidders at an Auction, Auctioneer may at his sole discretion reoffer the lot. Auctioneer's decision and declaration of the winning Bidder shall be final and binding upon all Bidders. Bids properly offered, whether by floor Bidder or other means of bidding, may on occasion be missed or go unrecognized; in such cases, the Auctioneer may declare the recognized bid accepted as the winning bid, regardless of whether a competing bid may have been higher. Auctioneer reserves the right after the hammer fall to accept bids and reopen bidding for bids placed through the Internet or otherwise. Regardless of placed bids, Auctioneer reserves the right to withdraw any lot, or any part of a lot, from Auction at any time prior to the opening of any such lot by the auctioneer (crier), or in the case of Internet-only auctions when the bid opens for either live Internet bidding or the beginning of any
- 15. Auctioneer reserves the right to refuse to honor any bid or to limit the amount of any bid, in its sole discretion. A bid is considered not made in "Good Faith" when made by an insolvent or irresponsible person, a person under the age of eighteen, or is not supported by satisfactory credit, references, or otherwise. Regardless of the disclosure of his identity, any bid by a consignor or his agent on a lot consigned by him is deemed to be made in "Good Faith." Any person apparently appearing on the OFAC list is not eligible to bid.
- 16. Nominal Bids. The Auctioneer in its sole discretion may reject nominal bids, small opening bids, or very nominal advances
- 17. Lots bearing bidding estimates shall open at Auctioneer's discretion (generally 40%-60% of the low estimate) In the event that no bid meets or exceeds that opening amount, the lot shall pass as unsold or the Auctioneer may place a protective bid on behalf of the consignor.
- All items are to be purchased per lot as numerically indicated and no lots will be broken.
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- 22. The Auctioneer has the right to sell certain unsold items after the close of the Auction. Such lots shall be considered sold during the Auction and all these Terms and Conditions shall apply to such sales including but not limited to the Buyer's Premium, return rights, and disclaimers.

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- 24. Payment is due upon closing of the Auction session, or upon presentment of an invoice. Auctioneer reserves the right to void an invoice if payment in full is not received within 7 days after Auction close. In cases of nonpayment, Auctioneer's election to void a sale does not relieve the Bidder from their obligation to pay Auctioneer its fees (seller's and buyer's premium) on the lot and any other damages pertaining to the lot or Auctioneer. Alternatively, Auctioneer at its sole option, may charge a twenty (20%) fee based on the amount of the purchase. In either case the Auctioneer may offset amount of its claim against any monies owing to the Bidder or secure its claim against any of the Bidder's properties held by the Auctioneer
- 25. Purchased lots may be subject to taxes or fees imposed by various foreign taxing agencies. Buyer is responsible for paying all foreign imposed taxes whether VAT, GST, etc. prior to delivery unless other arrangements are made in writing. Lots delivered to Buyer, or Buyer's representative are subject to all applicable state and local taxes, unless appropriate permits are on file with Auctioneer. Should state sales tax become applicable in the state for delivery prior to delivery of the property on the invoice, Buyer agrees to pay all applicable state sales tax as required by the delivery state as of the shipping date. Buyer agrees to pay Auctioneer the actual amount of tax due in the event that sales tax is not properly collected due to: 1) an expired, inaccurate, or inappropriate tax certificate or declaration, 2) an incorrect interpretation of the applicable statute, 3) or any other reason. The appropriate form or certificate must be on file at and verified by Auctioneer five days prior to Auction, or tax must be paid; only if such form or certificate is received by Auctioneer within 4 days after Auction can a refund of tax paid be made. Lots from different Auctions may not be aggregated for sales tax purposes.
- 26. In the event that Buyer's payment is dishonored upon presentment(s), Buyer shall pay the maximum statutory processing fee set by applicable state law. If Buyer attempts to pay via eCheck and Buyer's financial institution denies this bank account, or the payment cannot be completed using the selected funding source, Buyer agrees to complete payment using your credit card on file (subject to the surcharge detailed in paragraph 23).
- 27. If any Auction invoice submitted by Auctioneer is not paid in full when due, the unpaid balance will bear interest at the highest rate permitted by law from the date of invoice until paid. Any invoice not paid when due will bear a three percent (3%) late fee on the invoice amount. If the Auctioneer refers any invoice to an attorney for collection, Buyer agrees to pay attorney's fees, court costs, and other collection costs incurred by Auctioneer. If Auctioneer assigns collection to its in-house legal staff, such attorney's time expended on the matter shall be compensated at a rate comparable to the hourly rate of independent attorneys.

 28. In the event Buyer fails to pay any amounts due, Auctioneer reserves the right to sell the lot(s) securing the
- invoice to any underbidders in the Auction that the lot(s) appeared, or at subsequent private or public sale, or relist the lot(s) in a future auction conducted by Auctioneer. A defaulting Buyer agrees to pay for the reasonable costs of resale (including a 15% seller's commission, if consigned to an auction conducted by Auctioneer). The defaulting Buyer is liable to pay any difference between his total original invoice for the lot(s), plus any applicable interest, and the net proceeds for the lot(s) if sold at private sale or the subsequent hammer price of the lot(s) less the 15% seller's commissions, if sold at an Auctioneer's auction.

 29. Title shall not pass to Buyer until all invoices are paid in full. Auctioneer shall have a lien against the
- merchandise purchased by Buyer to secure payment of any and all outstanding Auction invoices. Auctioneer is further granted a lien and the right to retain possession of any other property of Buyer then held by Auctioneer or its affiliates to secure payment of any Auction invoice or any other amounts due Auctioneer or affiliates from Buyer. With respect to these lien rights, Auctioneer shall have all the rights of a secured creditor under Article 9 of the Texas Uniform Commercial Code, including but not limited to the right of sale

(including a 15% seller's commission, if consigned to an auction conducted by Auctioneer). Any Heritage foreclosure auction venue, whether or not the same venue as when the debt was incurred (e.g. Signature, Internet, or weekly), is deemed a reasonably commercial sale. In addition, with respect to payment of the Auction invoice(s), Buyer waives any and all rights of offset he might otherwise have against Auctioneer and the consignor of the merchandise included on the invoice. If Buyer owes Auctioneer or its affiliates on any account, Auctioneer and its affiliates shall have the right to offset such unpaid account by any credit balance due Buyer, and it may secure by possessory lien any unpaid amount by any of the Buyer's property in their possession.

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- 30. Buyer is liable for all shipping, handling, registration, and renewal fees, if any. Please refer to Auctioneer's website HA.com/c/shipping.zx for the latest charges or call Auctioneer. Auctioneer is unable to combine purchases from other auctions or affiliates into one package for shipping purposes. Merchandise will be shipped in a commercially reasonable time after payment in good funds for the merchandise and the shipping fees is received or credit extended, except when third-party shipment occurs. Buyer on lots designated for third-party shipment must designate the common carrier, accept risk of loss, and prepay shipping costs. Buyer agrees that Service and Handling charges related to shipping items which are not pre-paid may be charged to the credit card on file with Auctioneer (subject to the surcharge detailed in paragraph 23).
- 31. Successful international Bidders shall provide written shipping instructions, including specified customs declarations, to Auctioneer for any lots to be delivered outside of the United States. NOTE: Declaration value shall be the item'(s) hammer price together with its buyer's premium and Auctioneer shall use the correct harmonized code for the lot.
- 32. On all shipments in which Auctioneer charges the Delivery, Handling, and Transit Fee infin, any risk of loss during shipment will be borne by Auctioneer until the common carrier's confirmation of delivery to the address of record in Auctioneer's file, this is the "Secure Location". A common carrier's confirmation is conclusive to prove delivery to Buyer; if the client has a Signature release on file with the carrier, the package is considered delivered without Signature. Auctioneer shall arrange, select, and engage common carriers and other transportation vendors on your behalf. Transit services are subject to the following terms and conditions:
 - a. <u>Scope of Transit Services</u>: Merchandise for transit will be insured under one or more insurance policies issued by an authorized broker to Auctioneer. The merchandise will be insured for the invoice price of the properties (hammer price plus Buyer's Premium) ("Insured Value"). For each shipment, Buyer will provide a Secure Location to which the items will be delivered. NOTICE: Auctioneer is neither an insurance company nor a common carrier of any type.
 - b. <u>Auctioneer's Compensation for Transit Services</u>: Auctioneer will provide transit services to Buyer for ¾ of 1% of the Insured Value, plus packaging and handling fees and fees for the common carrier (collectively, "Delivery, Handling, and Transit Fee"). Buyer agrees to pay Delivery, Handling, and Transit Fee and comply with all terms of payment as set forth herein.
 - c. <u>Auctioneer's Limitation of Liability for Transit Services</u>: Buyer understands and agrees that Auctioneer's liability for loss of or damage to the items, if any, ends when the items have been delivered to the Secure Location, and Auctioneer has received evidence of delivery. Any claim that property has sustained loss or damage during transit must be reported to Auctioneer within seventy-two (72) hours of the delivery date. Any recovery for loss of or damage to any merchandise is limited to the lesser of actual cash value of the merchandise or the Insured Value. Under no circumstances is Auctioneer liable for consequential or punitive damages.
- 33. It shall be the responsibility for Buyer to arrange pick-up or shipping in a timely manner (within 10 days). Merchandise will be subject to storage and moving charges, including a \$100 administration fee plus \$10 daily storage for larger items and \$5 daily for smaller items (storage fee per item) after 35 days. In the event the merchandise is not removed within ninety days, the merchandise may be offered for sale to recover any past due storage or moving fees, including a 20% Seller's Commission.
- 34. A. NOTIČE OF CITËS COMPLIANČE: The purchase of items made from protected species: Any property made of or incorporating endangered or protected species or wildlife may have import and/or export restrictions established by the Convention of International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) in various countries and domestically. Plant and animal properties include (but are not limited to) items made of (or including) Brazilian rosewood, ivory, whalebone, turtle shell, coral, crocodile, alligator, lizard, or other wildlife. These items may not be available to ship internationally or, in some cases, domestically. Domestic bans and restrictions exist in these states: 1) California state law prohibits the importation of any product containing Python skin into the State of California, thus no lot containing Python skin will be shipped to or invoiced to a person or company in California. 2) Fossil Ivory is currently banned or restricted in 5 U.S. states: New York, New Jersey, California, Hawaii, and New Mexico. By placing a bid, the bidder acknowledges that he or she is aware of any restriction in their country or place of residence and takes responsibility for: 1) obtaining all information on such restricted items for both export and import; 2) obtaining all such licenses and/or permits. Delay, failure, or incapacity to obtain any such license or permit does not relieve the buyer of timely payment or afford them the capacity to void their purchase or payment. Lots containing potentially regulated wildlife material are noted in the description as a convenience to our clients. Heritage Auctions does not accept liability for errors or failure to mark lots containing protected or regulated species. For further assistance, please contact client services at 1-800-872-6467.
- 34. B. California State law prohibits the importation of any product containing Python skin into the State of California. No merchandise containing Python skin will be shipped to or invoiced to a person or company in California
- 34. C. Auctioneer shall not be liable for any loss caused by or resulting from:
 - a. Seizure or destruction under quarantine or Customs regulation, or confiscation by order of any Government or public authority, or risks of contraband or illegal transportation of trade, or
- b. Breakage of statuary, marble, glassware, bric-a-brac, porcelains, jewelry, and similar fragile articles.
- 35. Any request for shipping verification for undelivered packages must be made within 30 days of shipment by Auctioneer.

Cataloging, Warranties, and Disclaimers:

- 36. NO WARRANTY, WHETHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, IS MADE WITH RESPECT TO ANY DESCRIPTION CONTAINED IN THIS AUCTION OR ANY SECOND OPINE. Any description of merchandise or second opine contained in this Auction is for the sole purpose of identifying merchandise for those Bidders who do not have the opportunity to view merchandise prior to bidding, and no description of merchandise has been made part of the basis of the bargain or has created any express warranty that merchandise would conform to any description made by Auctioneer. Color variations can be expected in any electronic or printed imaging, and are not grounds for the return of any lot. NOTE: Auctioneer, in specified auction venues, e.g. Fine Art, may have express written warranties and Bidder is referred to those specific terms and conditions.
- 37. Auctioneer is selling only such right or title to merchandise being sold as Auctioneer may have by virtue of consignment agreements on the date of auction and disclaims any warranty of title to the merchandise. Auctioneer disclaims any warranty of merchantability or fitness for any particular purposes. All images, descriptions, sales data, and archival records are the exclusive property of Auctioneer, and may be used by Auctioneer for advertising, promotion, archival records, and any other uses deemed appropriate.
- 38. Translations of foreign language documents may be provided as a convenience to interested parties. Auctioneer makes no representation as to the accuracy of those translations and will not be held responsible for errors in bidding arising from inaccuracies in translation.
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- 39. Auctioneer disclaims all liability for damages, consequential or otherwise, arising out of or in connection with the sale of any merchandise by Auctioneer to Bidder. No third party may rely on any benefit of these Terms and Conditions and any rights, if any, established hereunder are personal to Bidder and may not be assigned. Any statement made by the Auctioneer is an opinion and does not constitute a warranty or representation. No employee of Auctioneer may alter these Terms and Conditions, and, unless signed by a principal of Auctioneer, any such alteration is null and void.
- 40. Auctioneer shall not be liable for breakage of glass or damage to frames (patent or latent); such defects, in any event, shall not be a basis for return or reduction in purchase price.

Release:

- 41. In consideration of participation in Auction and the placing of a bid, Bidder expressly releases Auctioneer, its officers, directors and employees, its affiliates, and its outside experts that provide second opines, from any and all claims, cause of action, chose of action, whether at law or equity or any arbitration or mediation rights existing under the rules of any professional society or affiliation based upon the assigned description, or a derivative theory, breach of warranty express or implied, representation or other matter set forth within these Terms and Conditions of Auction or otherwise. In the event of a claim, Bidder agrees that such rights and privileges conferred therein are strictly construed as specifically declared herein, and are the exclusive remedy. Bidder, by non-compliance to these express terms of a granted remedy, shall waive any claim against Auctioneer.
- 42. Notice: Some merchandise sold by Auctioneer is inherently dangerous e.g. firearms, cannons, and small items that may be swallowed or ingested or may have latent defects all of which may cause harm to a person. Buyer accepts all risk of loss or damage from its purchase of these items and Auctioneer disclaims any liability whether under contract or tort for damages and losses, direct or inconsequential, and expressly disclaims any warranty as to safety or usage of any lot sold.

Dispute Resolution, Arbitration, and Remedies:

By placing a bid or otherwise participating in Auction, Bidder accepts these Terms and Conditions of Auction, and specifically agrees to the dispute resolution provided herein.

- 43. Exclusive Dispute Resolution Process: All claims, disputes, or controversies in connection with, relating to, and/or arising out of Bidder's participation in Auction or purchase of any lot, any interpretation of the Terms and Conditions of Sale or any amendments thereto, any description of any lot or condition report, any damage to any lot, any alleged verbal modification of any term of sale or condition report or description, and/or any purported settlement whether asserted in contract, tort, under Federal or State statute or regulation, or any claim made by Bidder of a lot or Bidder's participation in Auction involving the auction or a specific lot involving a warranty or representation of a consignor or other person or entity including Auctioneer {which claim Bidder consents to be made a party} (collectively, "Claim") shall be exclusively heard by, and the claimant (or respondent) and Auctioneer each consent to the Claim being presented in a confidential binding arbitration before a single arbitrator administrated by and conducted under the rules of, the American Arbitration Association. The locale for all such arbitrations shall be Dallas, Texas. The arbitrator's award may be enforced in any court of competent jurisdiction. In the event that any Claim needs to be litigated, including actions to compel arbitration, construe the agreement, actions in aid of arbitration, or otherwise, such litigation shall be exclusively in the Courts of the State of Texas, in Dallas County, Texas, and if necessary the corresponding appellate courts. If a Claim involves a consumer, exclusive subject matter jurisdiction for the Claim is in the State District Courts of Dallas County, Texas and the consumer consents to subject matter and in personam jurisdiction; further CONSUMER EXPRESSLY WAIVES ANY RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY. A consumer may elect arbitration as specified above. Any claim involving the purchase or sale of numismatic or related items may be submitted through binding PNG arbitration. A Claim is not subject to class certification.
- 44. Choice of Law: Agreement and any Claim shall be determined and construed under Texas law.
 45. Fees and Costs: The prevailing party (a party that is awarded substantial and material relief on its damage claim based on damages sought versus awarded or the successful defense of a Claim based on damages sought versus awarded) may be awarded reasonable attorneys' fees and costs.
- 46. Remedies: Any Claim must be brought within two (2) years of the alleged breach, default or misrepresentation or the Claim is waived. After one (1) year has elapsed, Auctioneer's maximum liability shall be limited to any commissions and fees Auctioneer earned on that lot. Auctioneer in no event shall be responsible for consequential damages, incidental damages, compensatory damages, or any other damages arising or claimed to be arising from the auction of any lot. Exemplary or punitive damages are not permitted and are waived. In the event that Auctioneer cannot deliver the lot or subsequently it is established that the lot lacks title, or other transfer or condition issue is claimed, in such cases the sole remedy shall be limited to rescission of sale and refund of the amount paid by Buyer, in no case shall Auctioneer's maximum liability exceed the high bid on that lot, which bid shall be deemed for all purposes the value of the lot. In the event of an attribution error, Auctioneer may at its sole discretion, correct the error on the Internet, or, if discovered at a later date, refund Buyer's purchase price without further obligation. Nothing herein shall be construed to extend the time of return or conditions and restrictions for return.
- 47. These Terms & Conditions provide specific remedies for occurrences in the auction and delivery process. Where such remedies are afforded, they shall be interpreted strictly. Bidder agrees that any claim shall utilize such remedies; Bidder making a claim in excess of those remedies provided in these Terms and Conditions agrees that in no case whatsoever shall Auctioneer's maximum liability exceed the high bid on that lot, which bid shall be deemed for all purposes the value of the lot.

Miscellaneous

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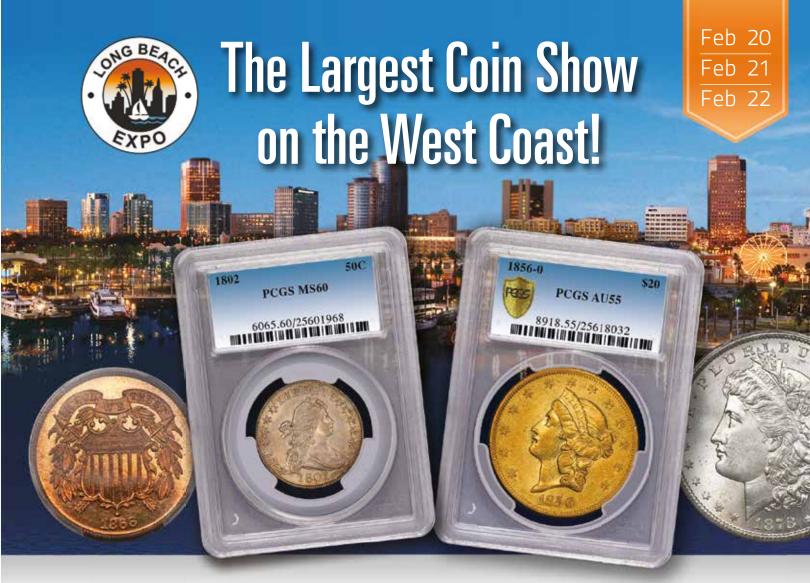
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